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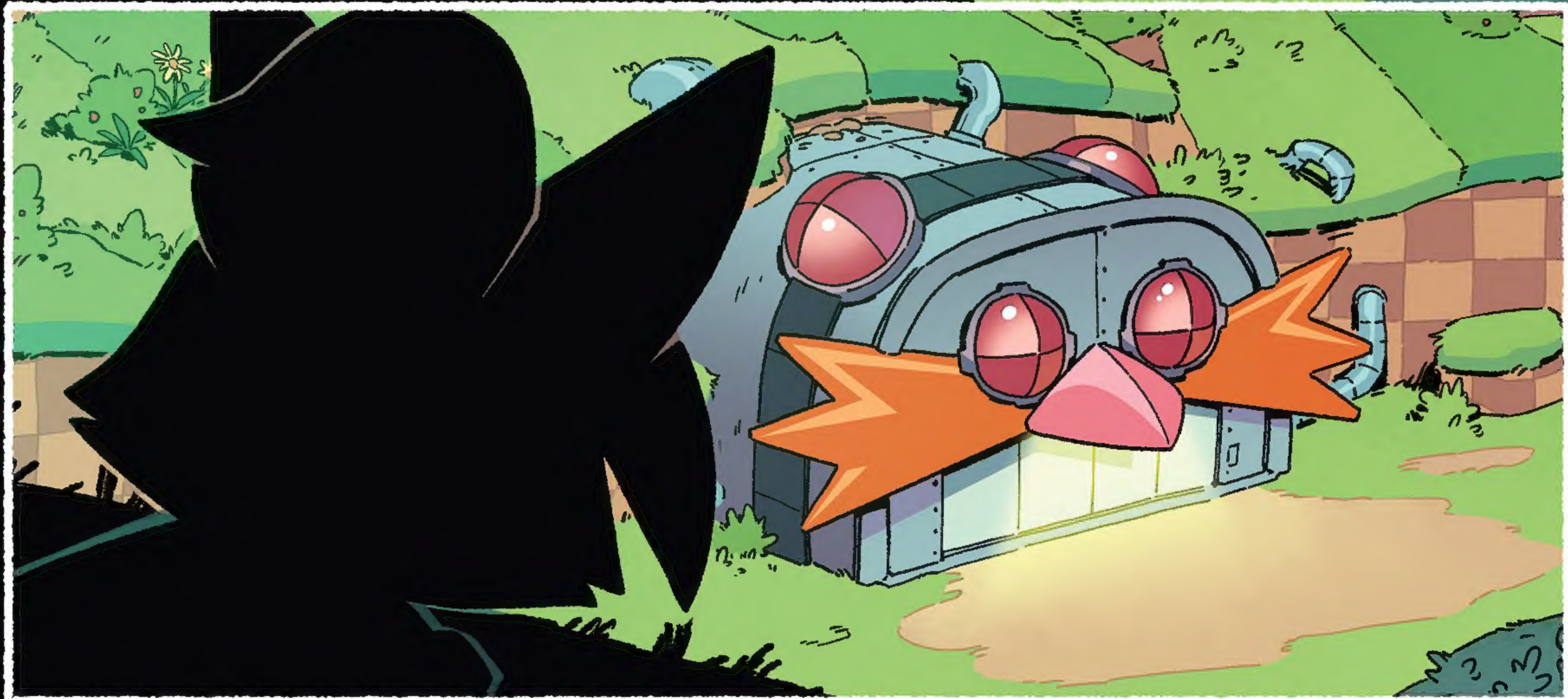
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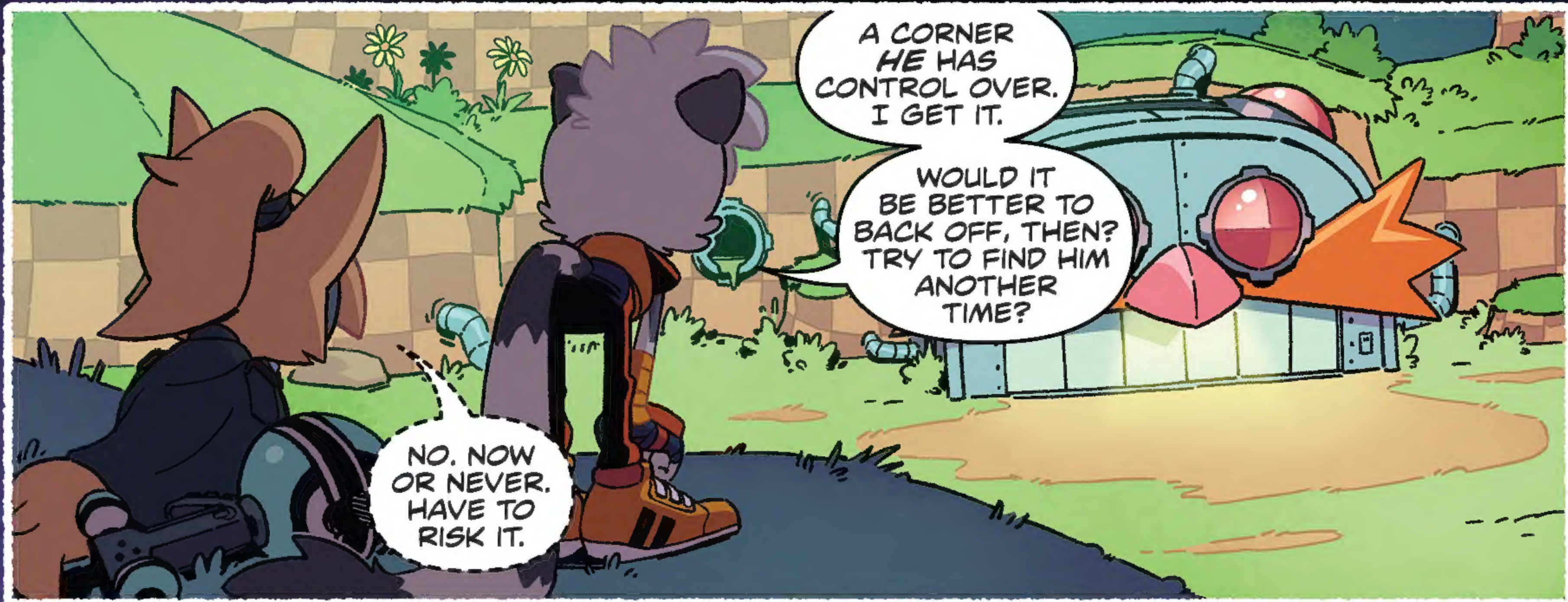
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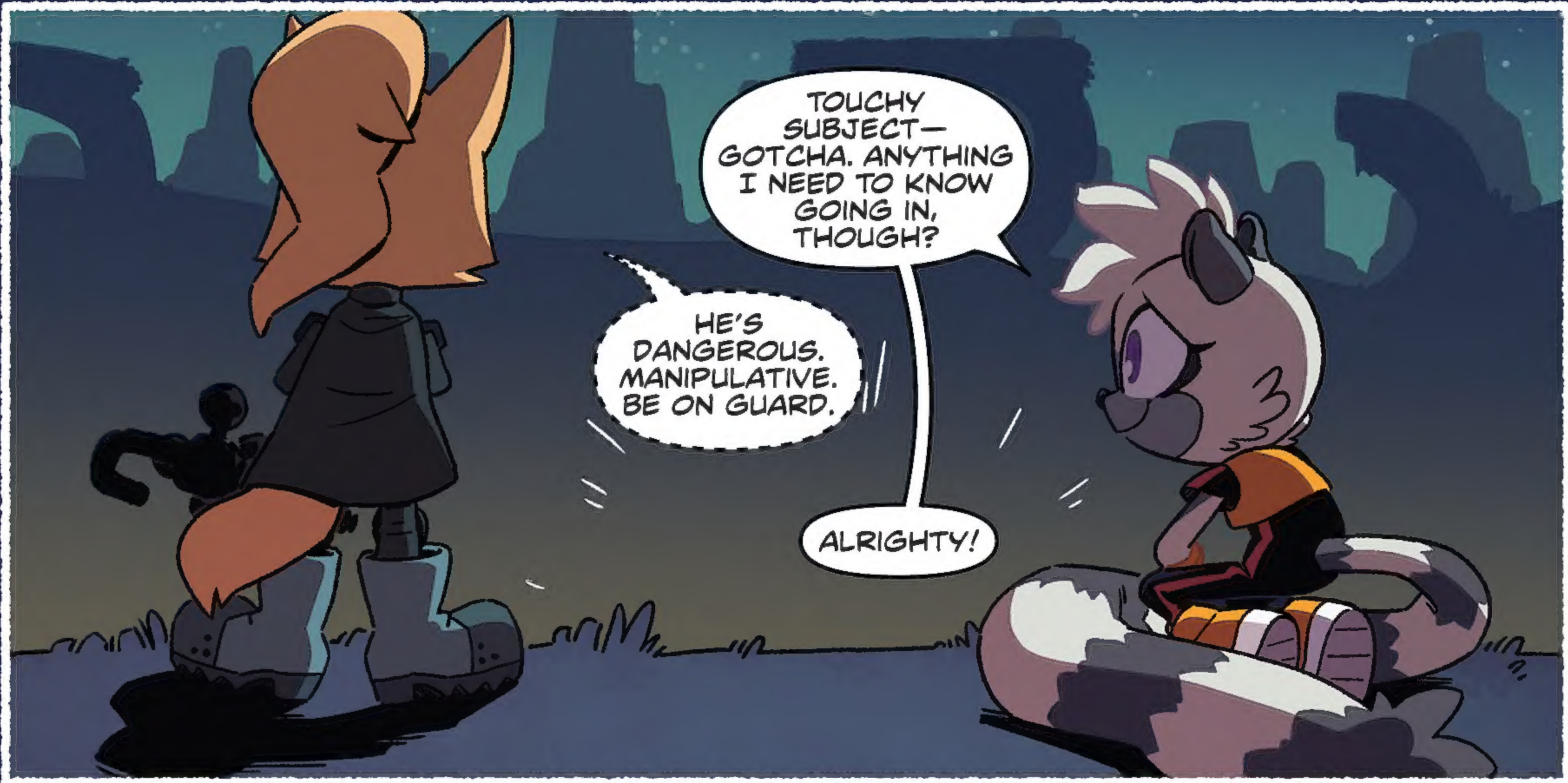
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FORGOTTEN  
EGGMAN EMPIRE  
BUNKER...



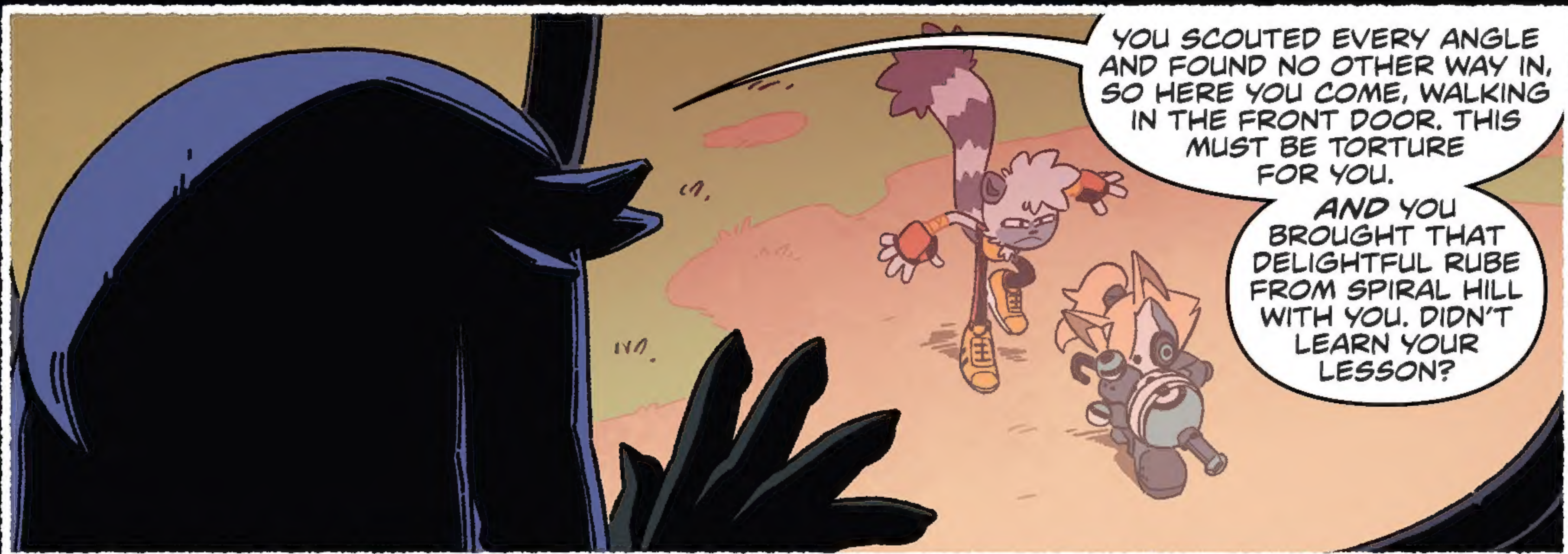






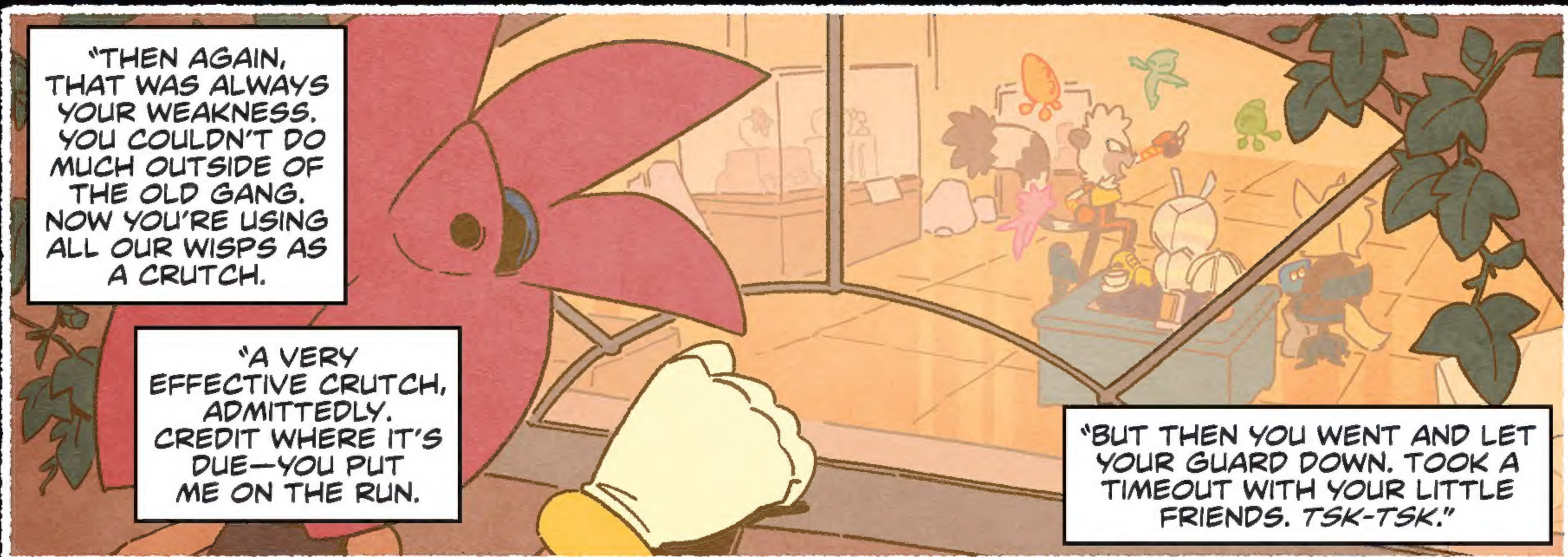






YOU SCOUTED EVERY ANGLE AND FOUND NO OTHER WAY IN, SO HERE YOU COME, WALKING IN THE FRONT DOOR. THIS MUST BE TORTURE FOR YOU.

AND YOU BROUGHT THAT DELIGHTFUL RUBE FROM SPIRAL HILL WITH YOU. DIDN'T LEARN YOUR LESSON?



"THEN AGAIN, THAT WAS ALWAYS YOUR WEAKNESS. YOU COULDN'T DO MUCH OUTSIDE OF THE OLD GANG. NOW YOU'RE USING ALL OUR WISPS AS A CRUTCH.

"A VERY EFFECTIVE CRUTCH, ADMITTEDLY. CREDIT WHERE IT'S DUE—YOU PUT ME ON THE RUN.

"BUT THEN YOU WENT AND LET YOUR GUARD DOWN. TOOK A TIMEOUT WITH YOUR LITTLE FRIENDS. TSK-TSK."



PART OF ME WISHES WE COULD SETTLE THIS JUST BETWEEN US...

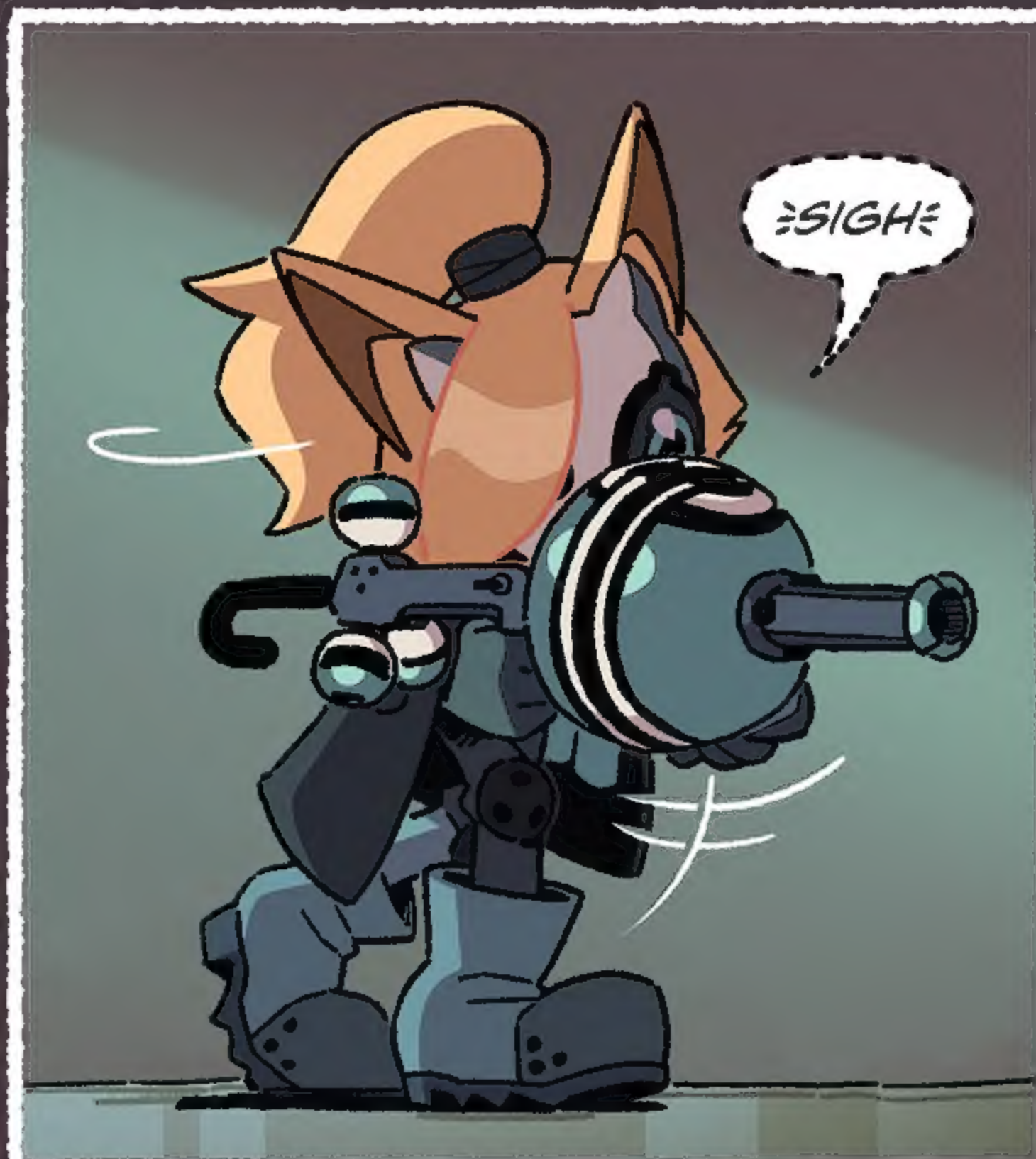
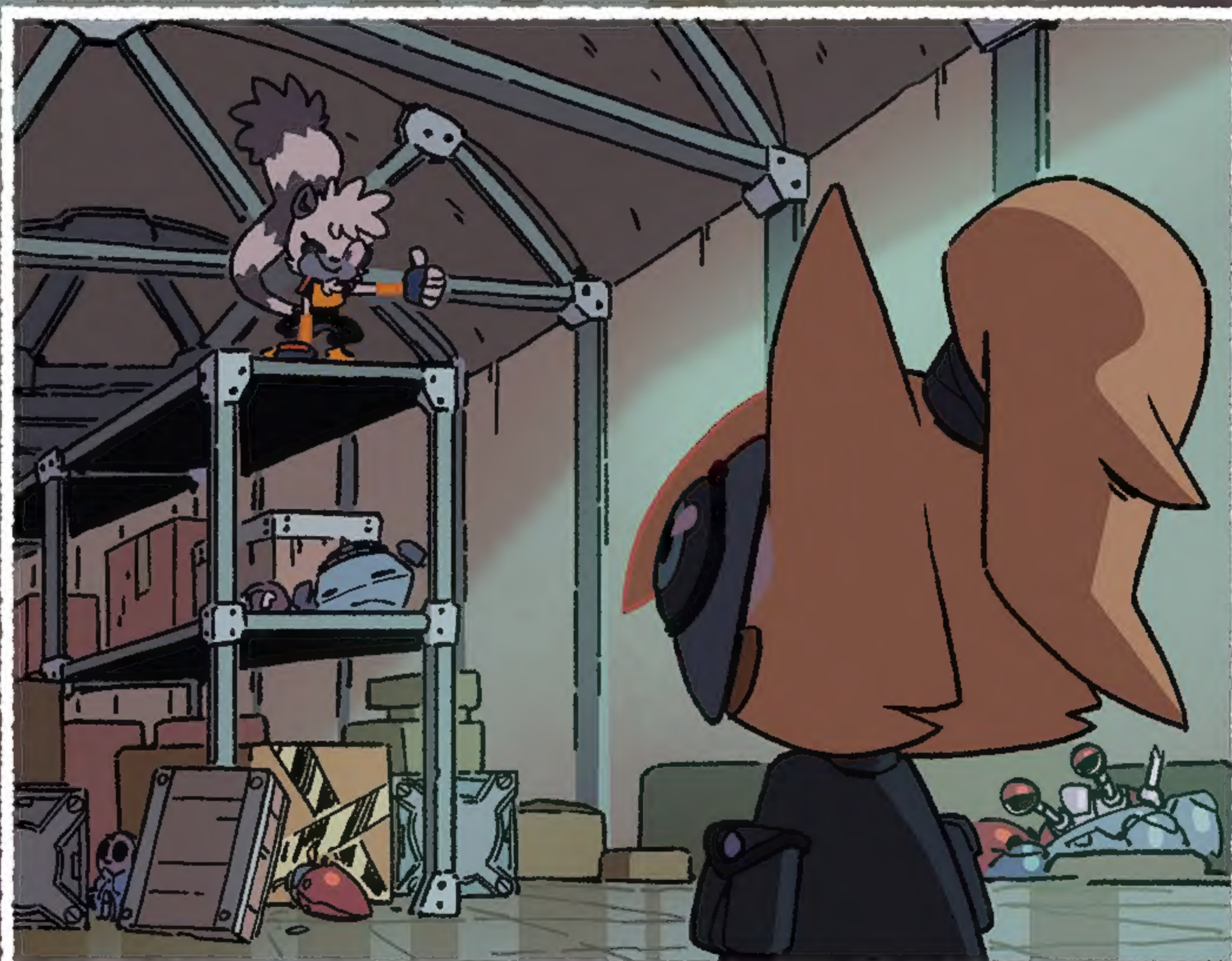
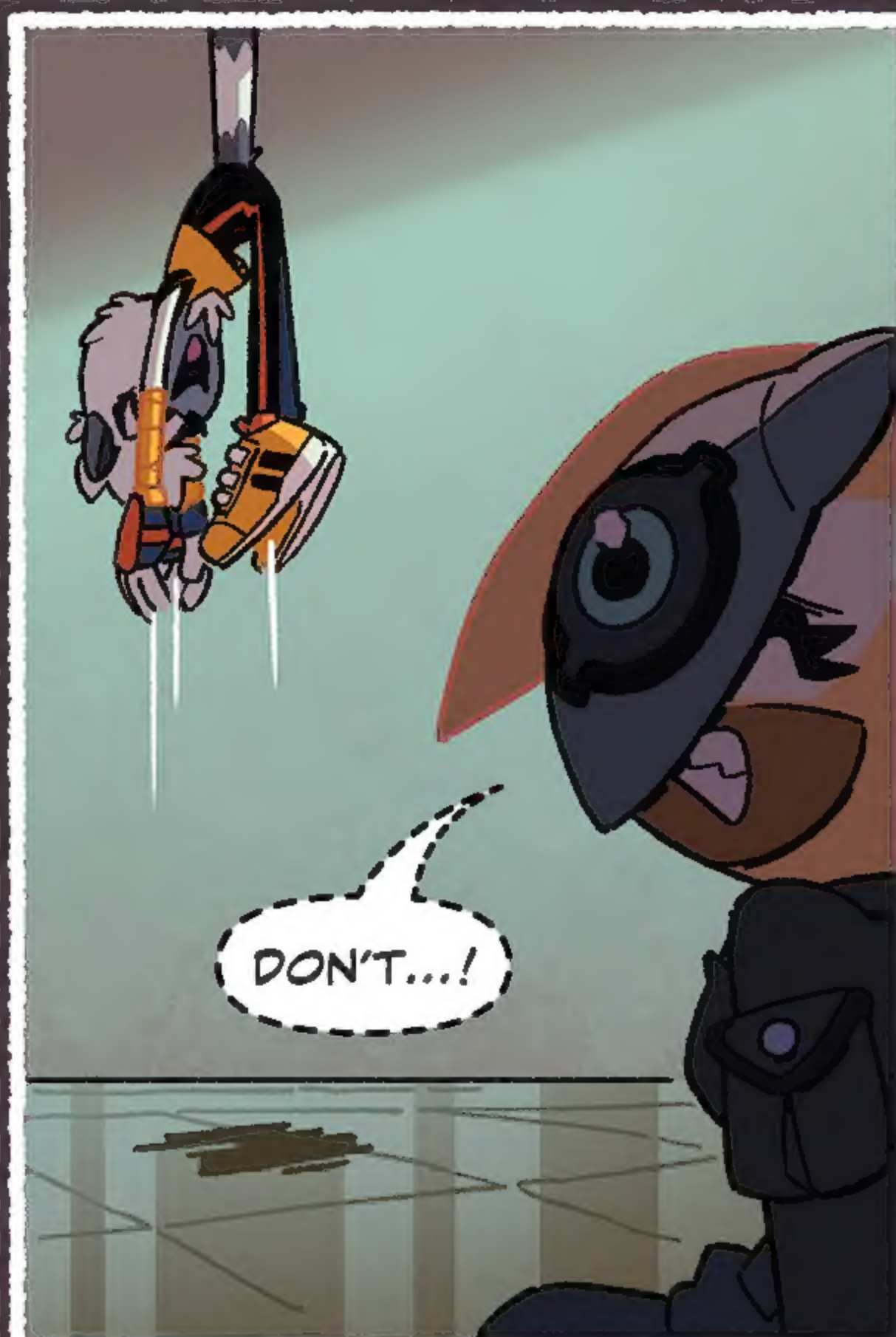
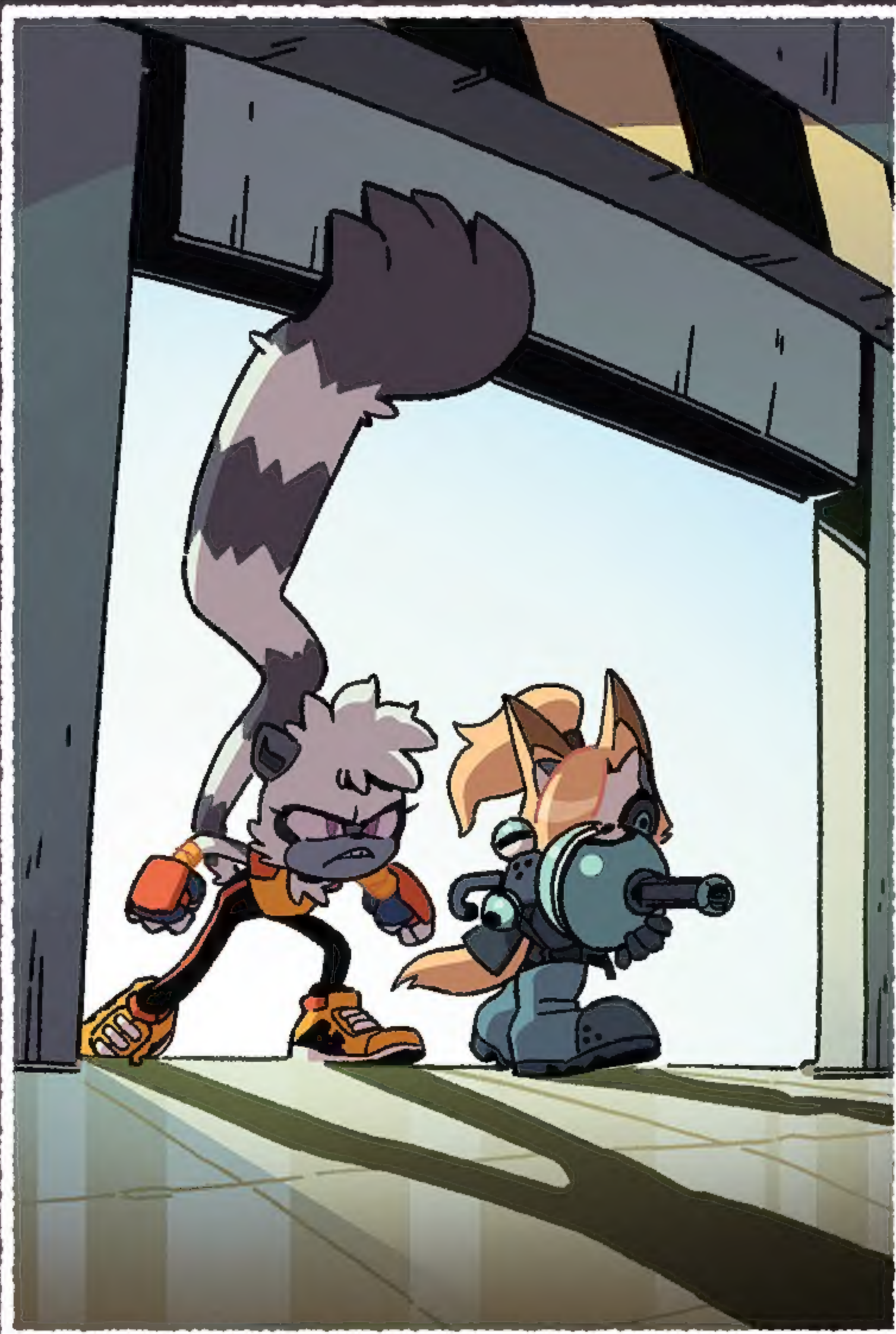


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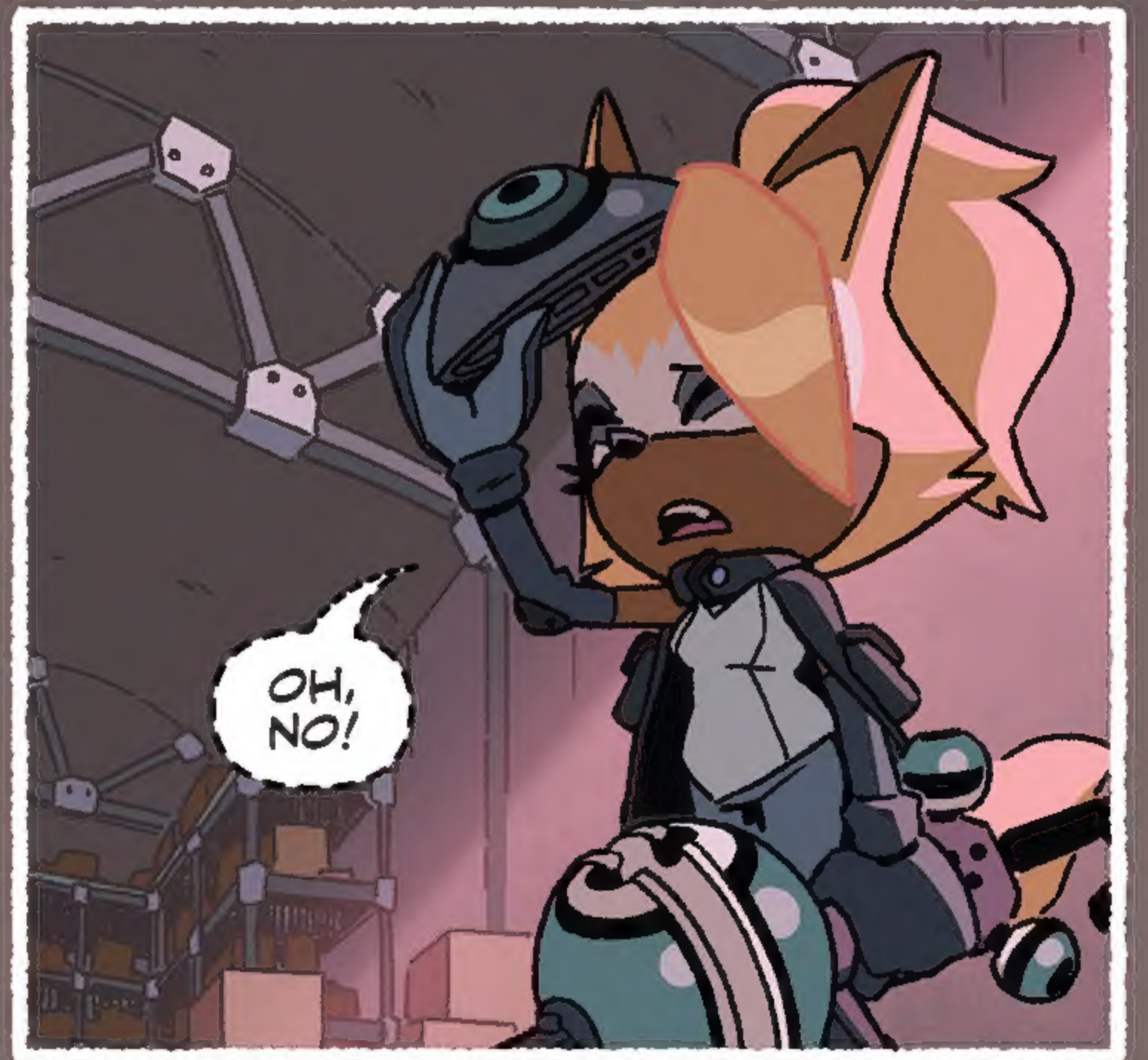
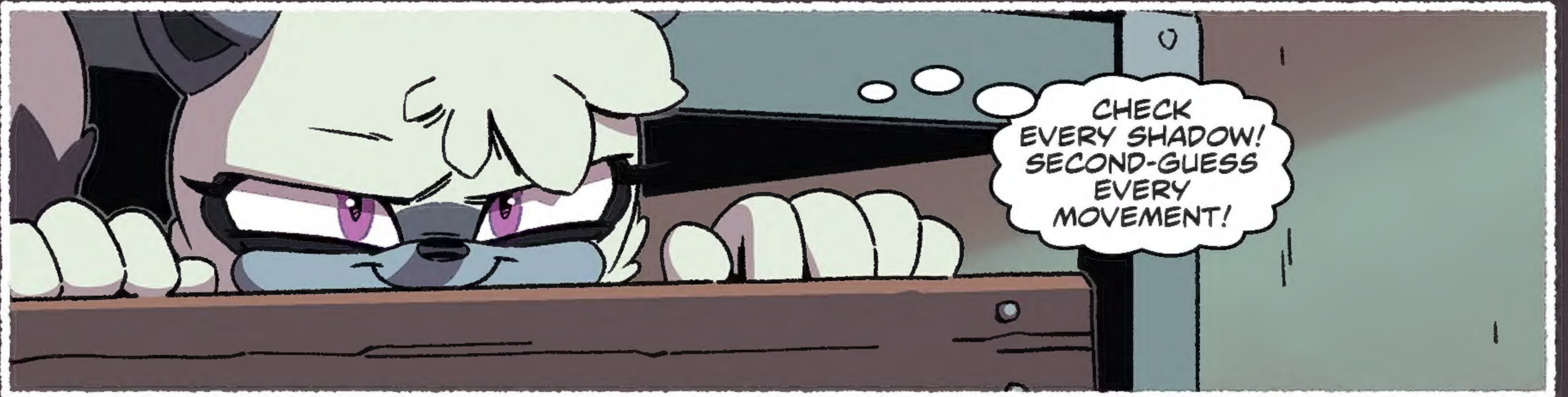


...I'LL JUST HAVE TO LET YOU HANDICAP YOURSELF.

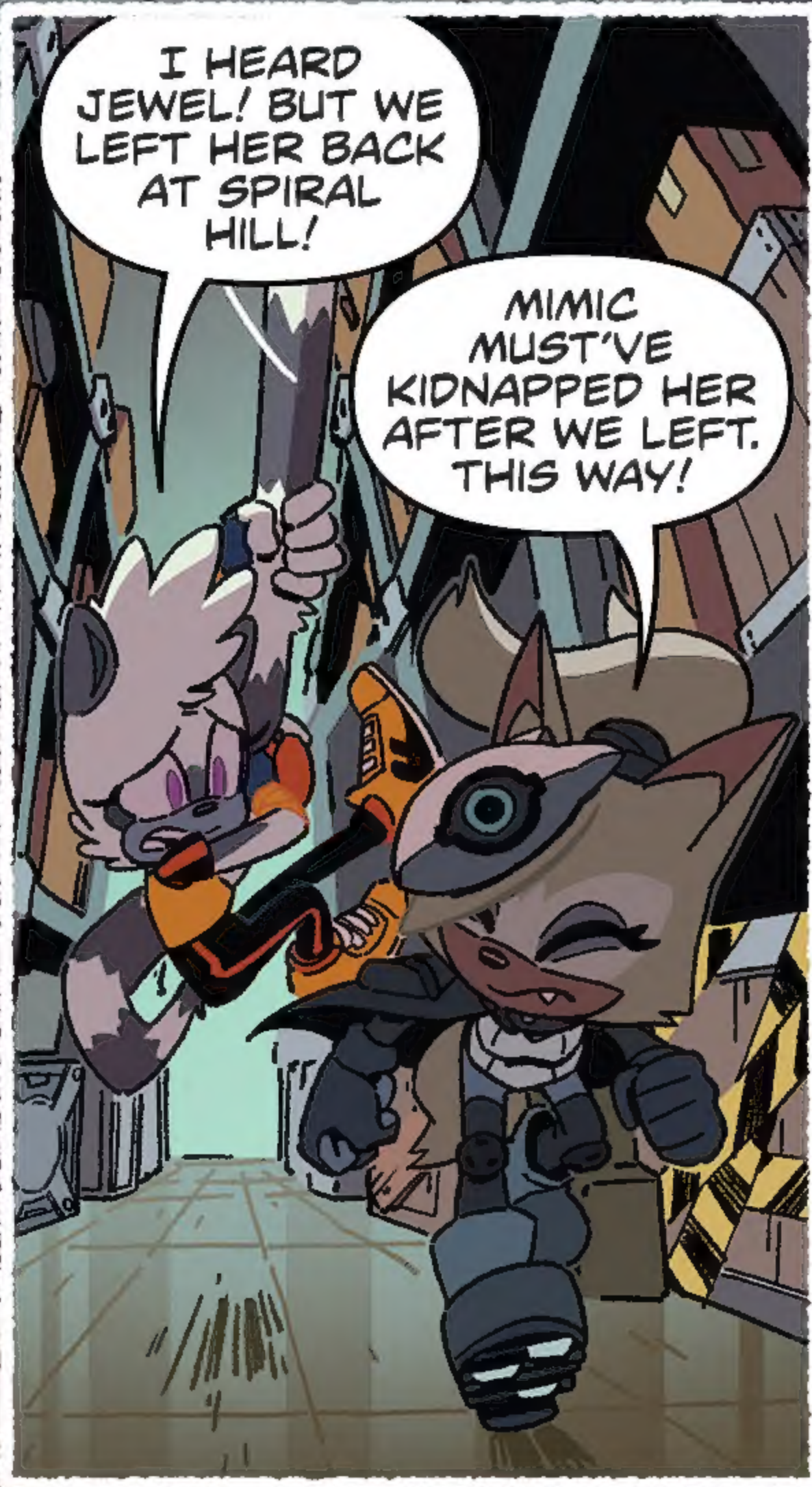
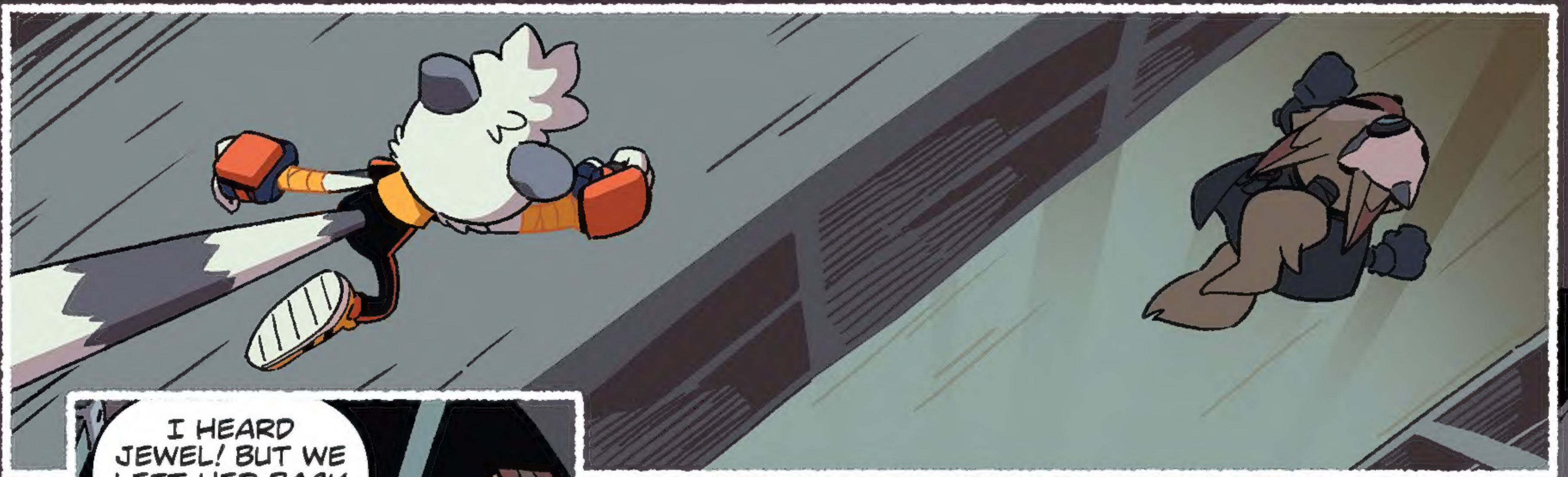












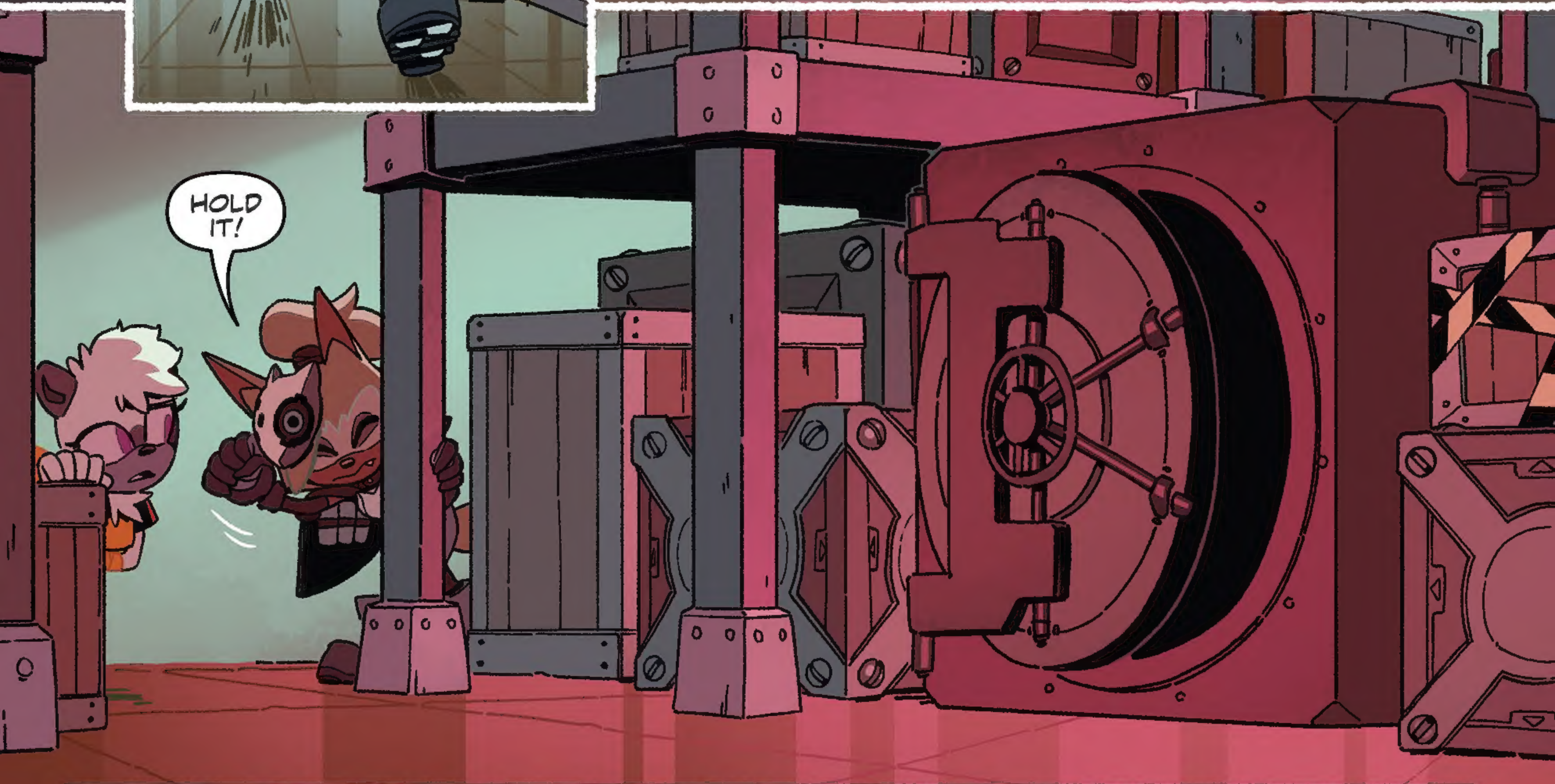
I HEARD JEWEL! BUT WE LEFT HER BACK AT SPIRAL HILL!

MIMIC MUST'VE KIDNAPPED HER AFTER WE LEFT. THIS WAY!

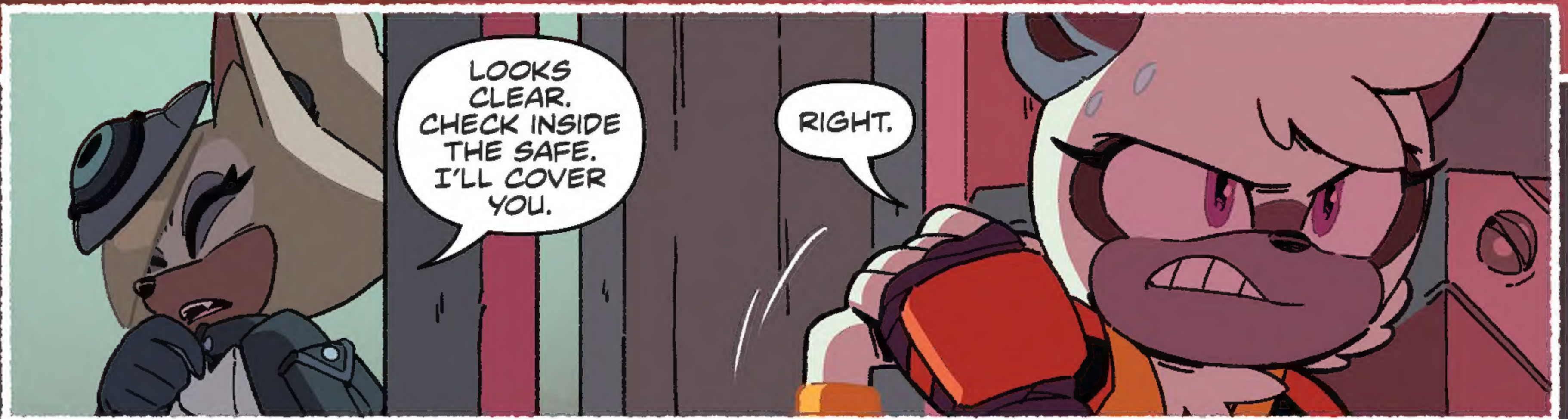


IF SHE'S HURT, I'LL NEVER FORGIVE MYSELF!

KEEP YOUR VOICE DOWN. SHE'S BEING USED AS BAIT.



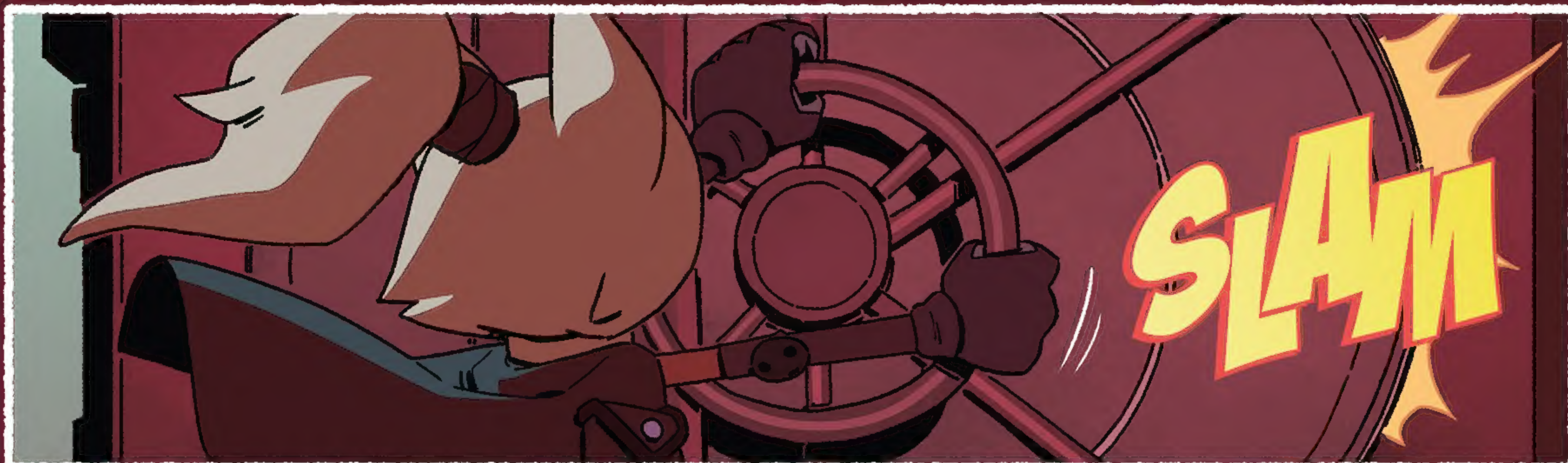
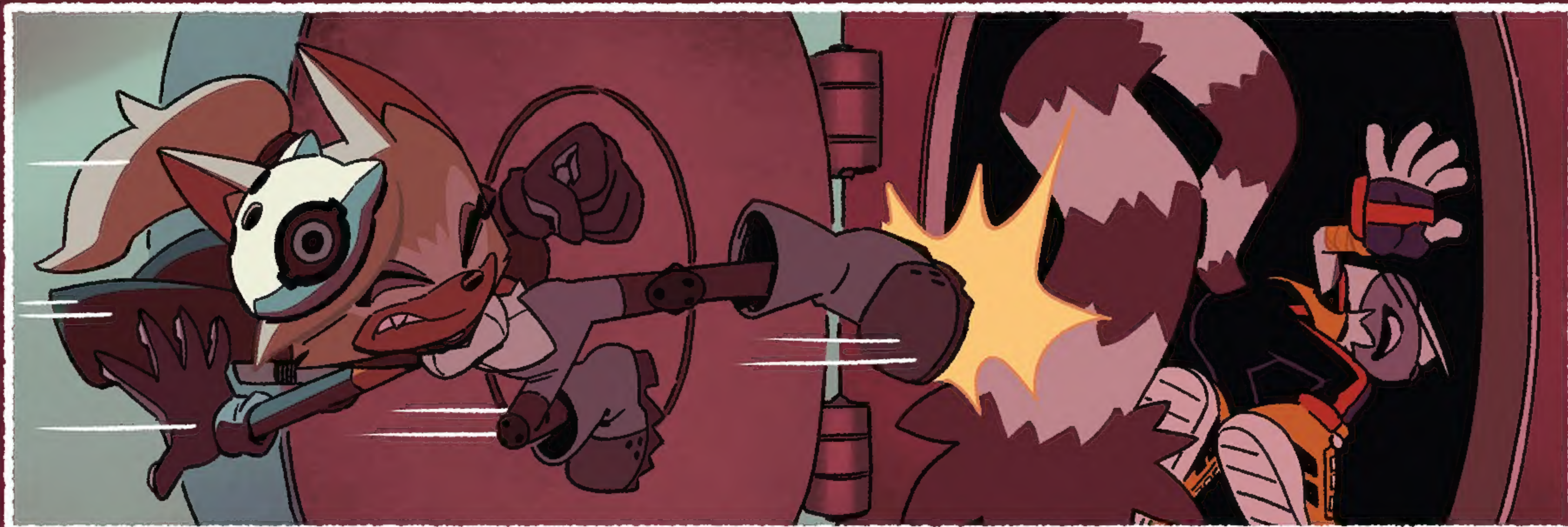
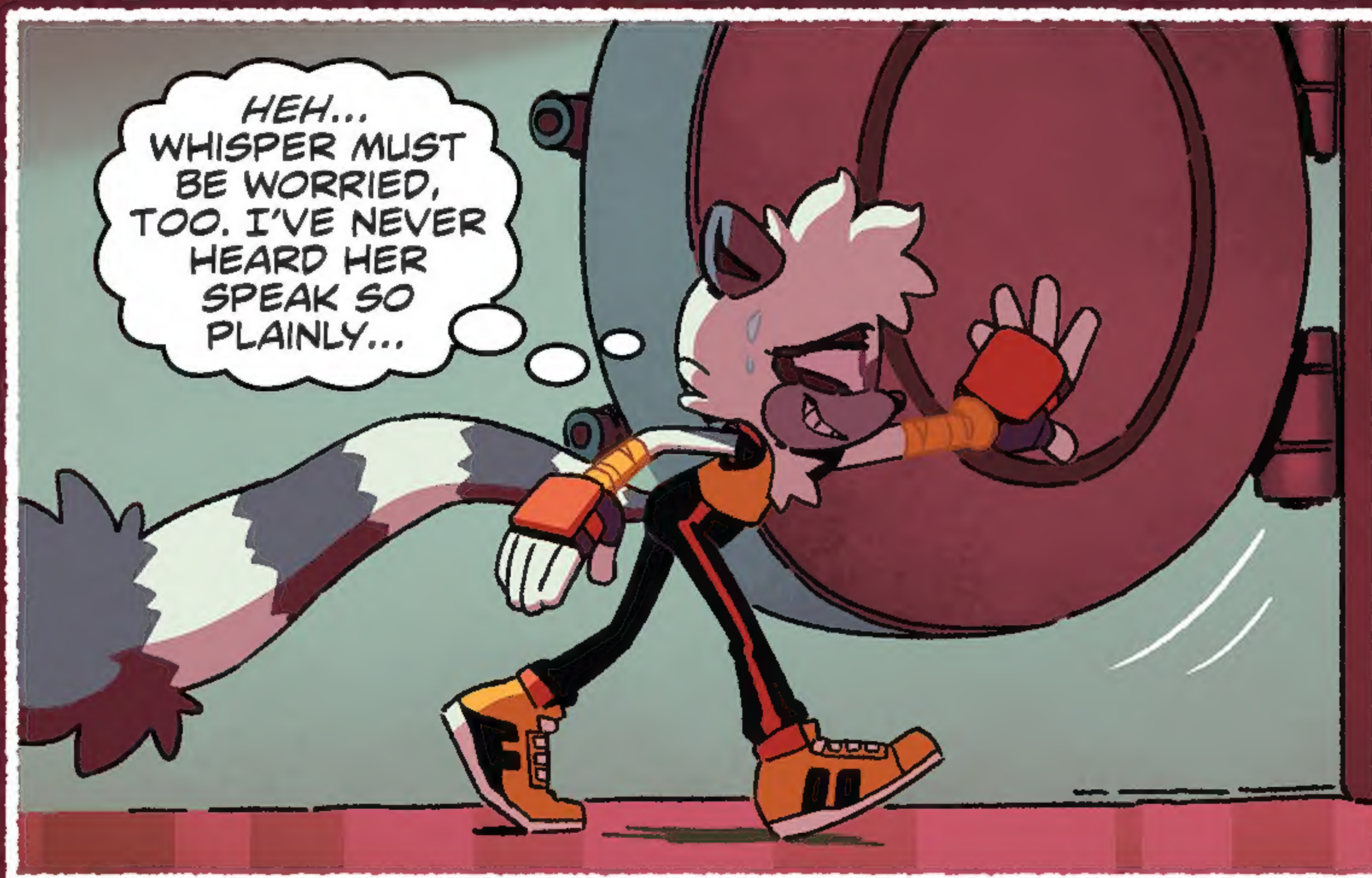
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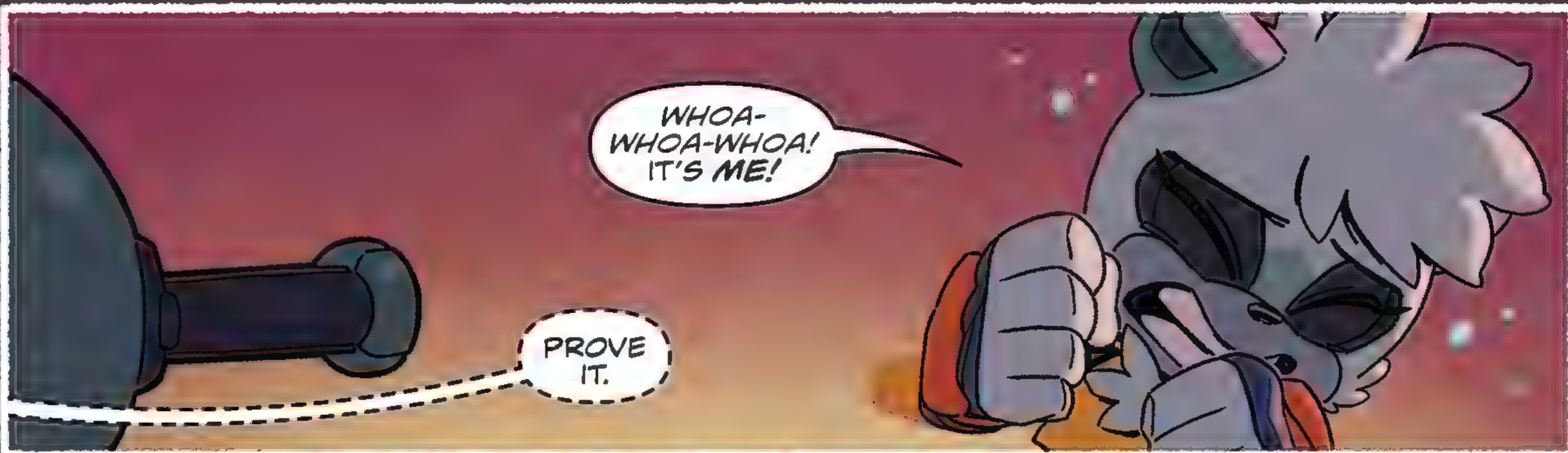
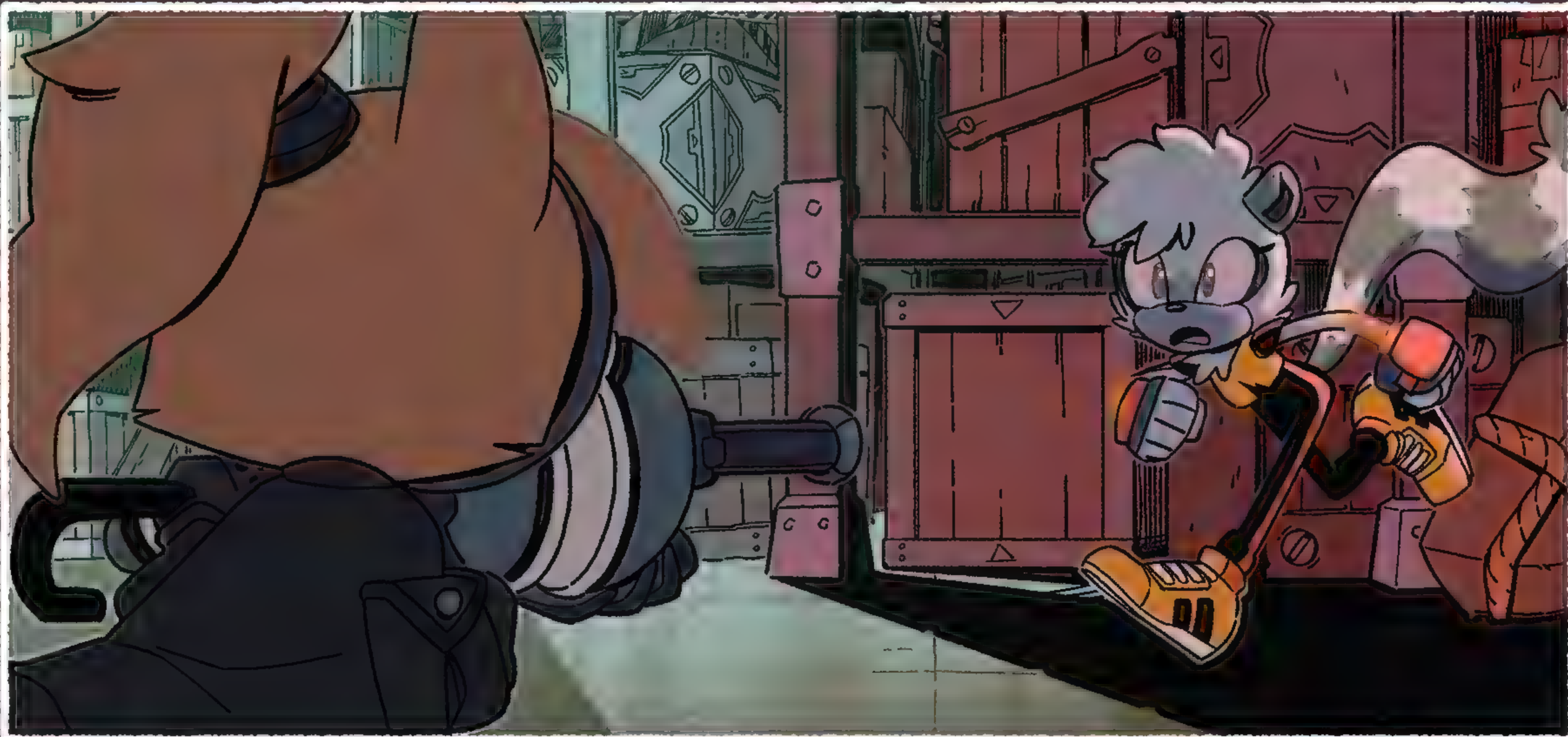
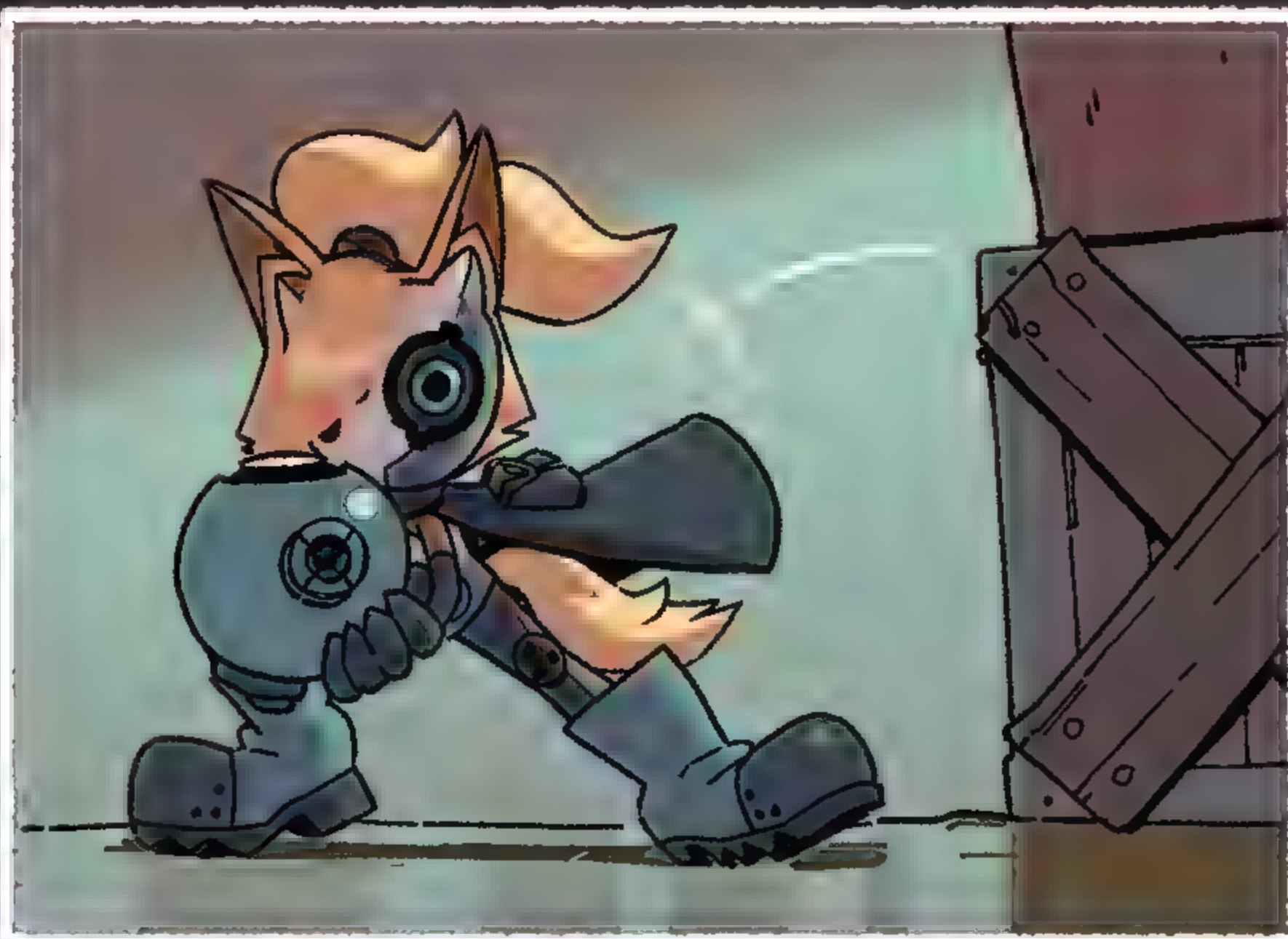
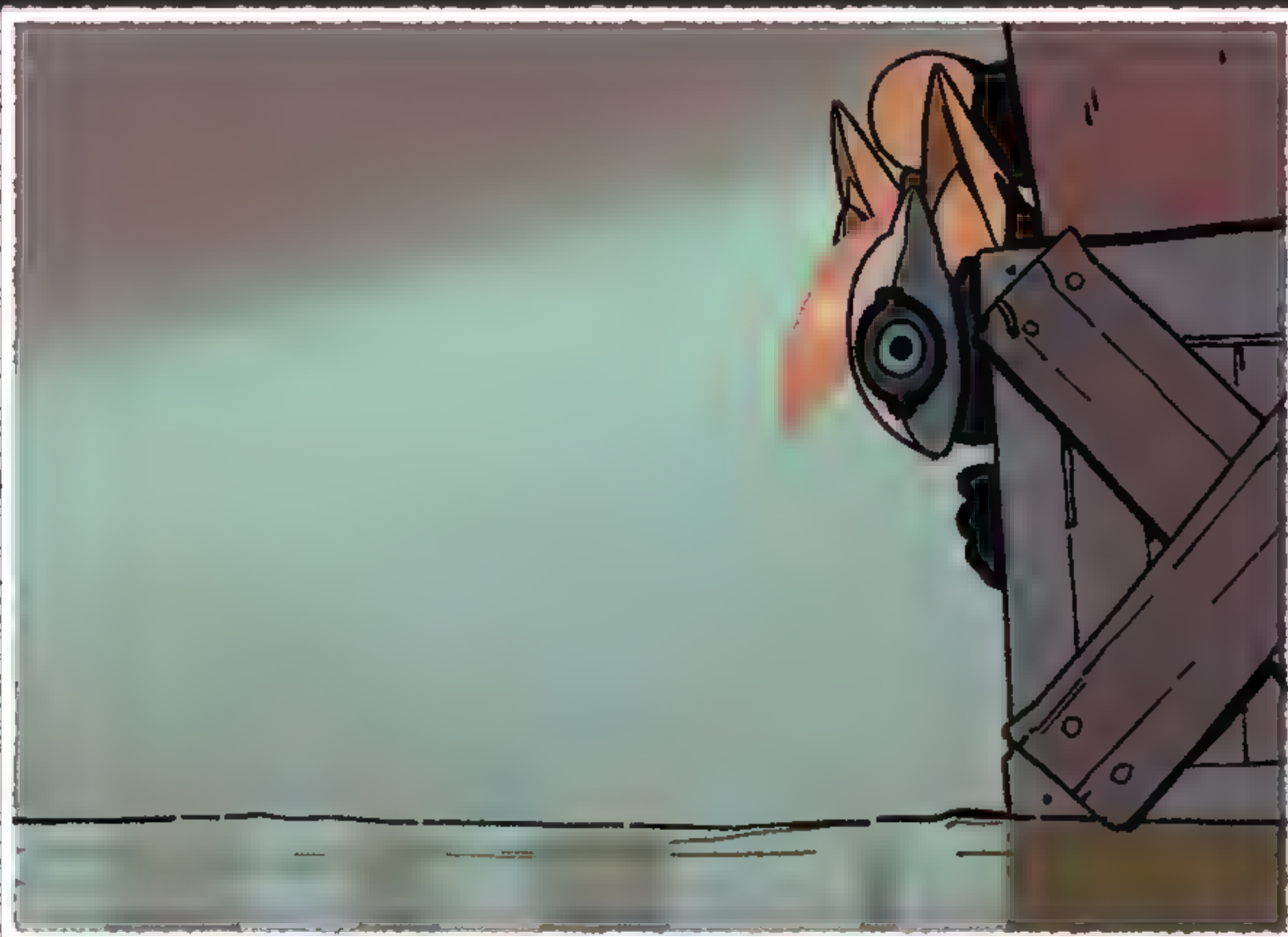
LOOKS CLEAR. CHECK INSIDE THE SAFE. I'LL COVER YOU.

RIGHT.

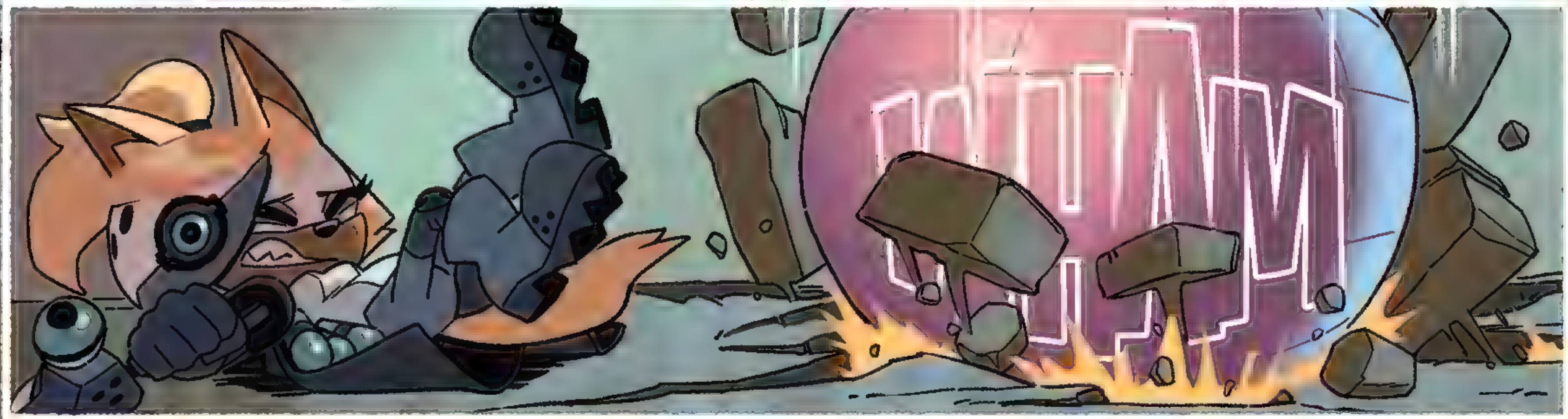
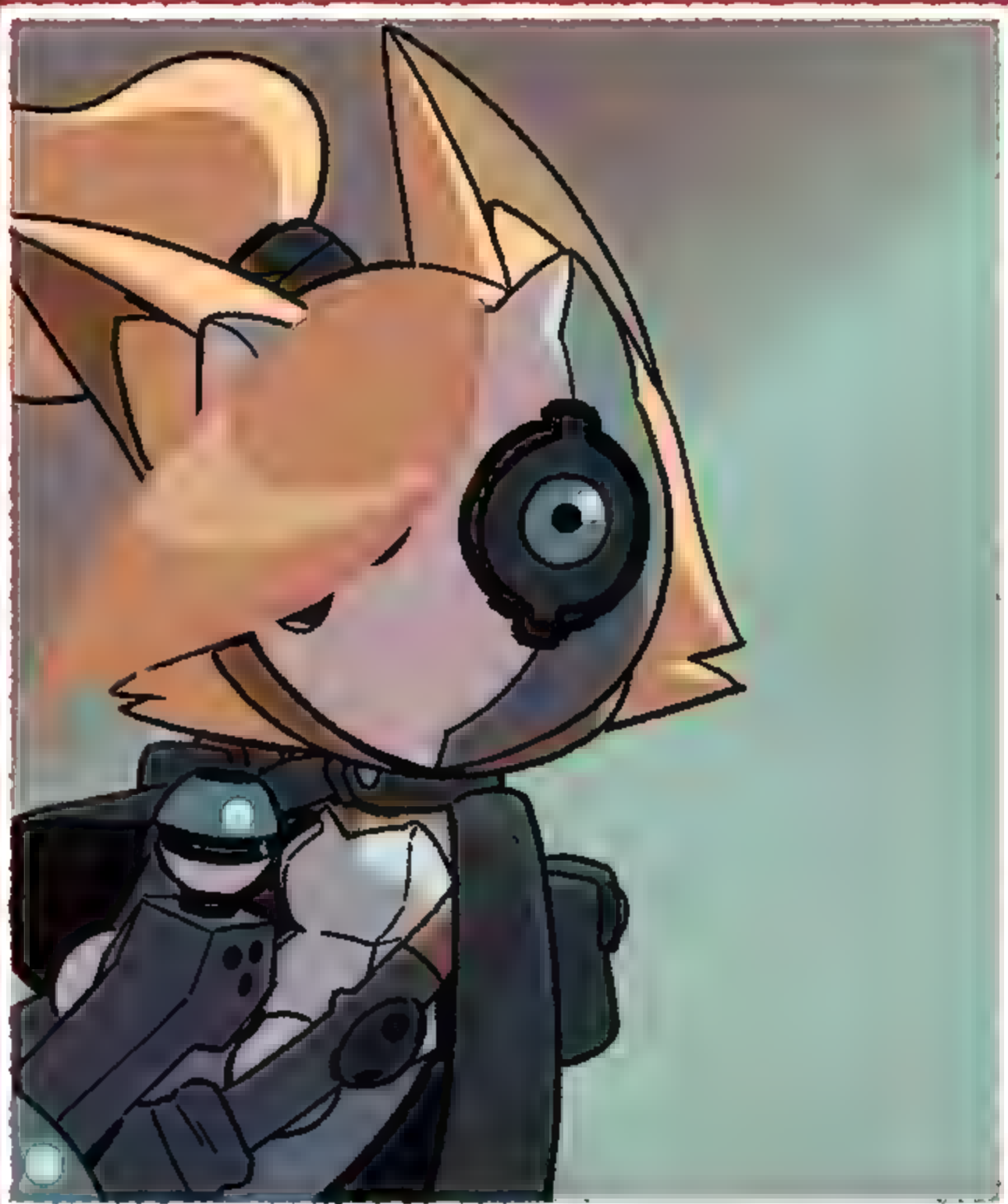
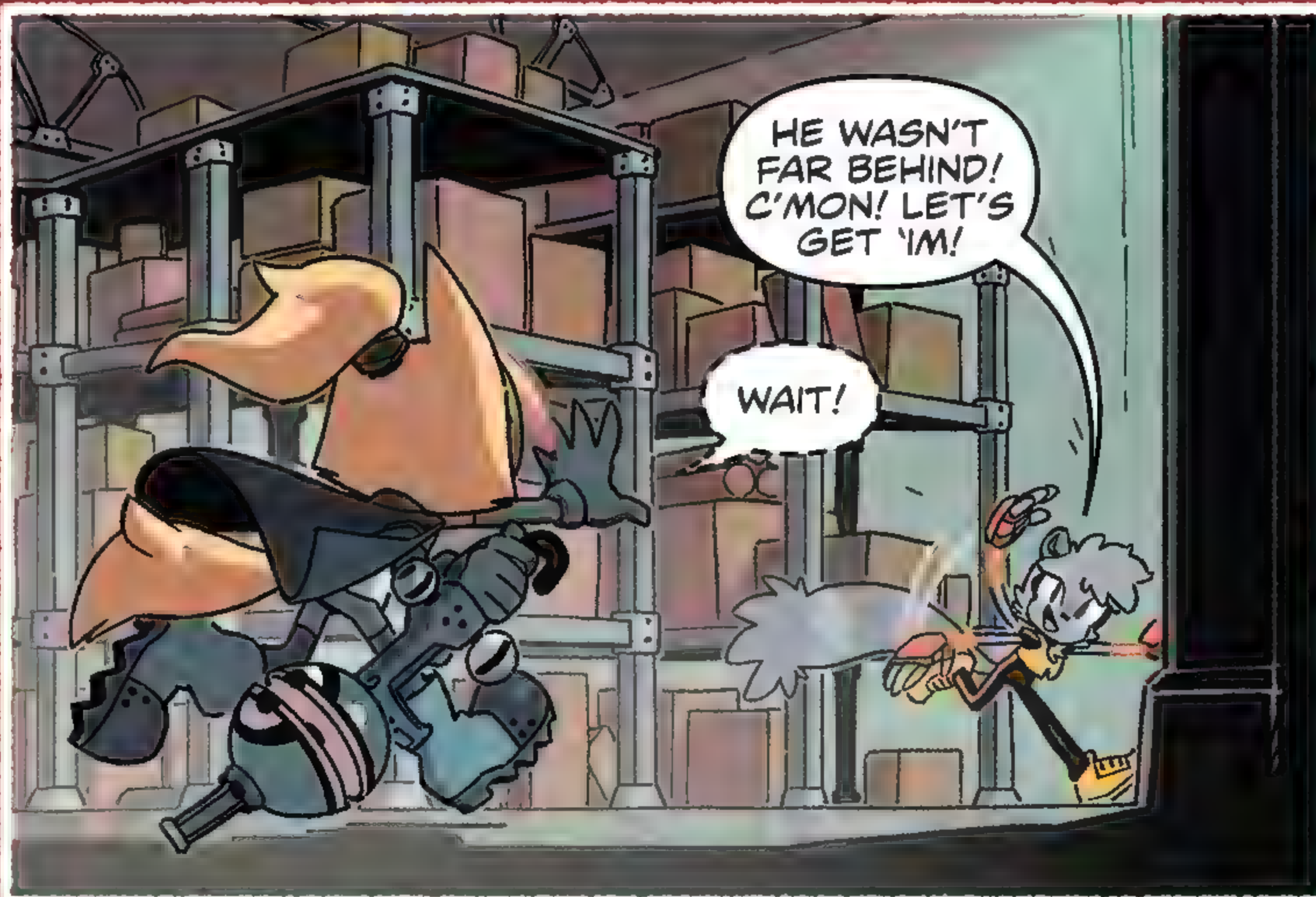




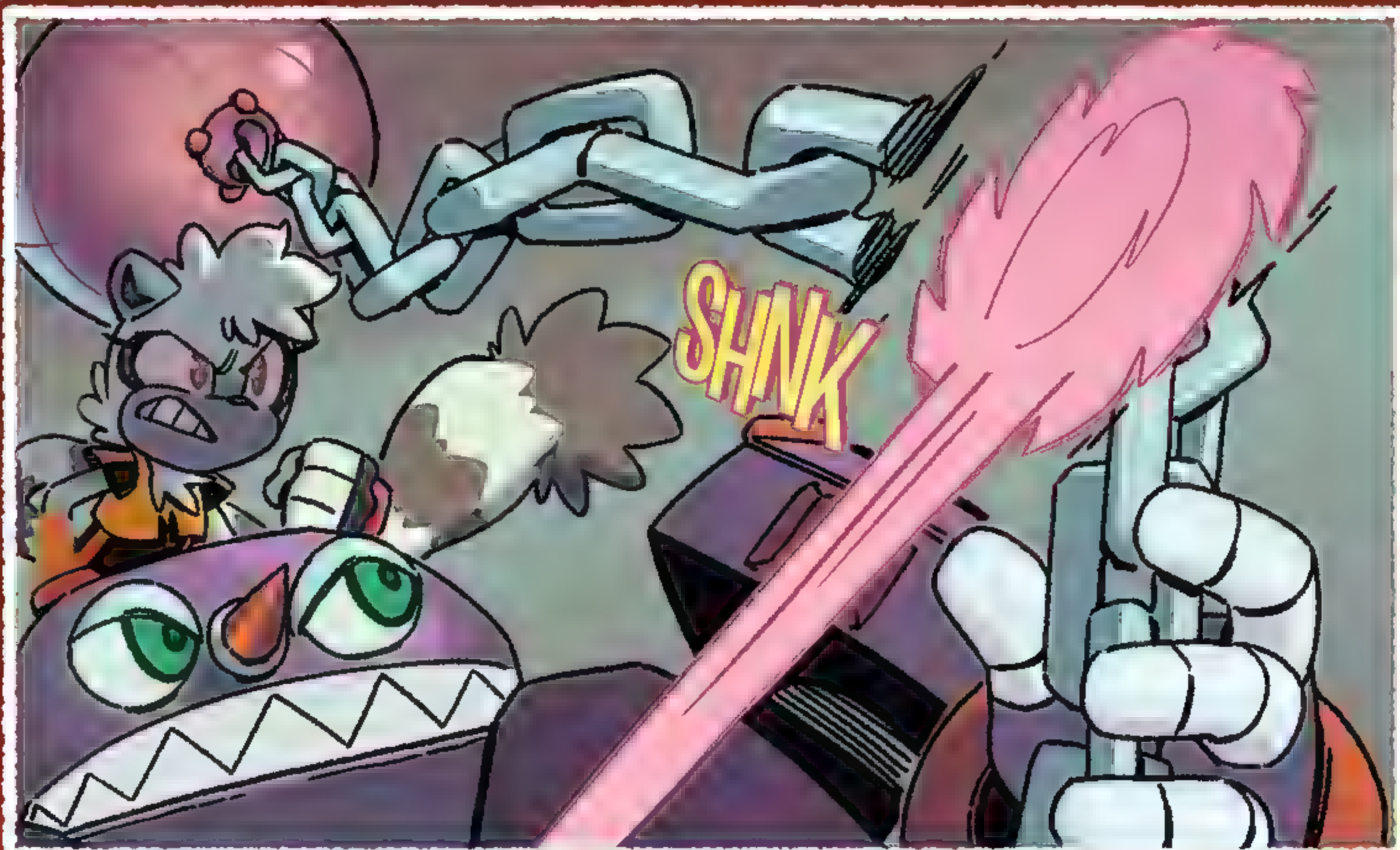




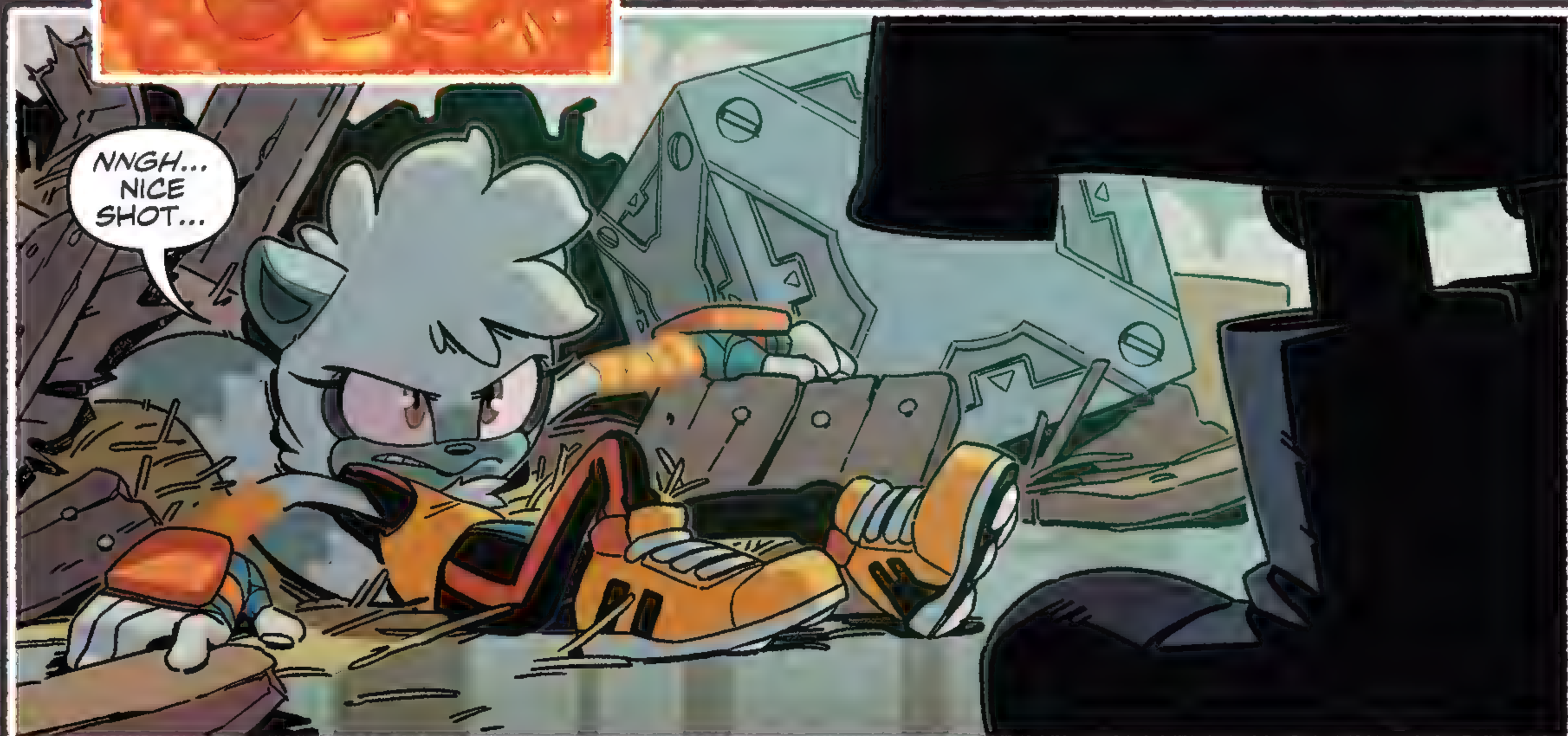
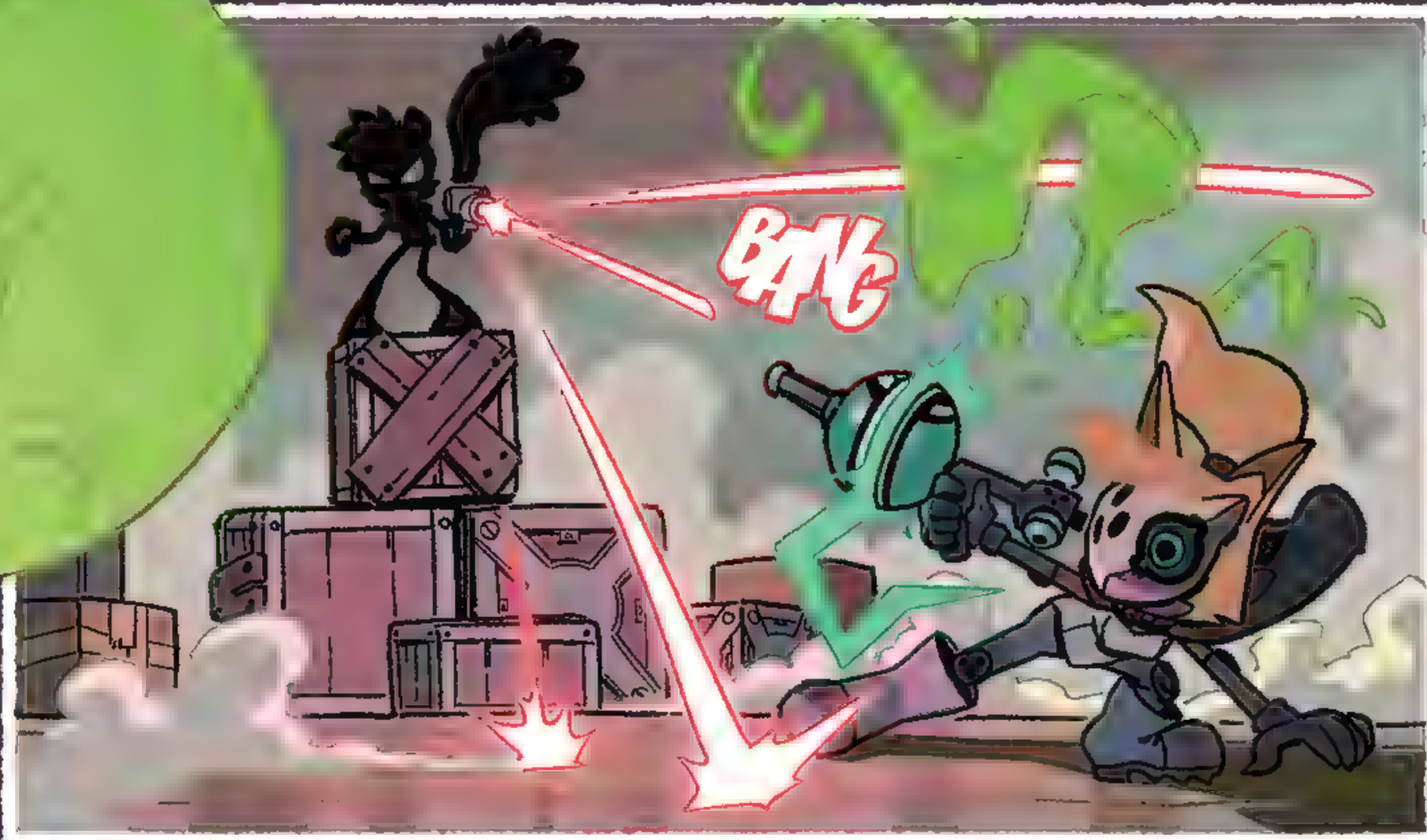










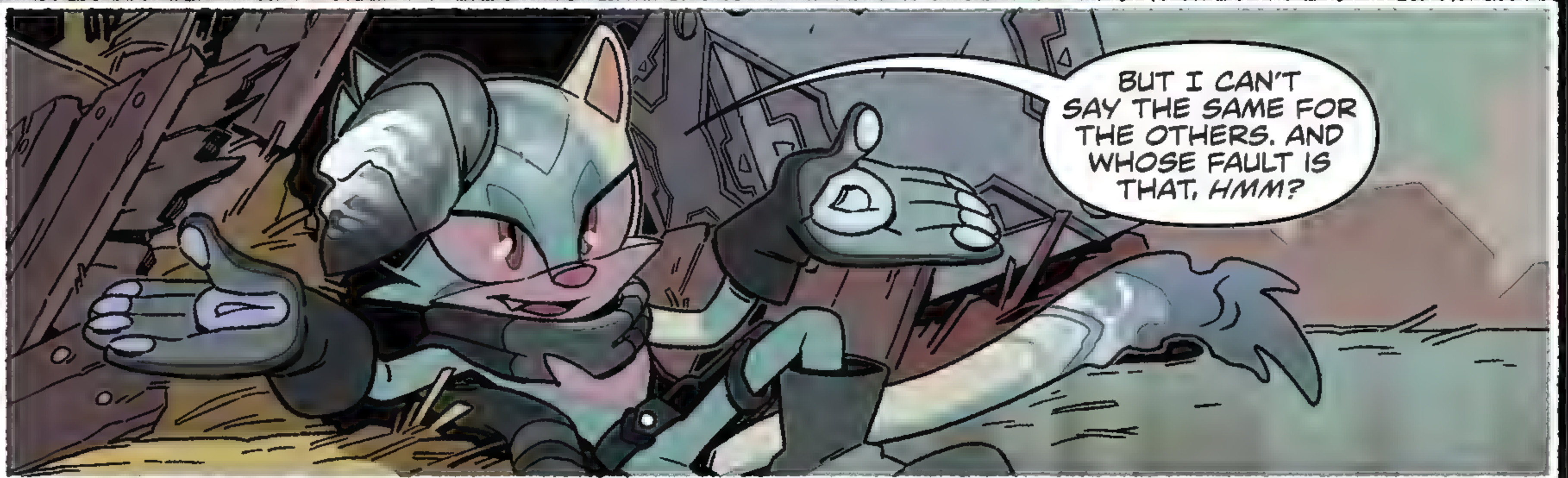




...AND IT LOOKS LIKE YOU'VE LEARNED TO APPRECIATE THE PERSONAL TOUCH.

WHERE IS SHE?

OH? YOU MEAN THIS PRETTY FACE? SHE'S IN A SAFE PLACE.



BUT I CAN'T SAY THE SAME FOR THE OTHERS. AND WHOSE FAULT IS THAT, HMM?



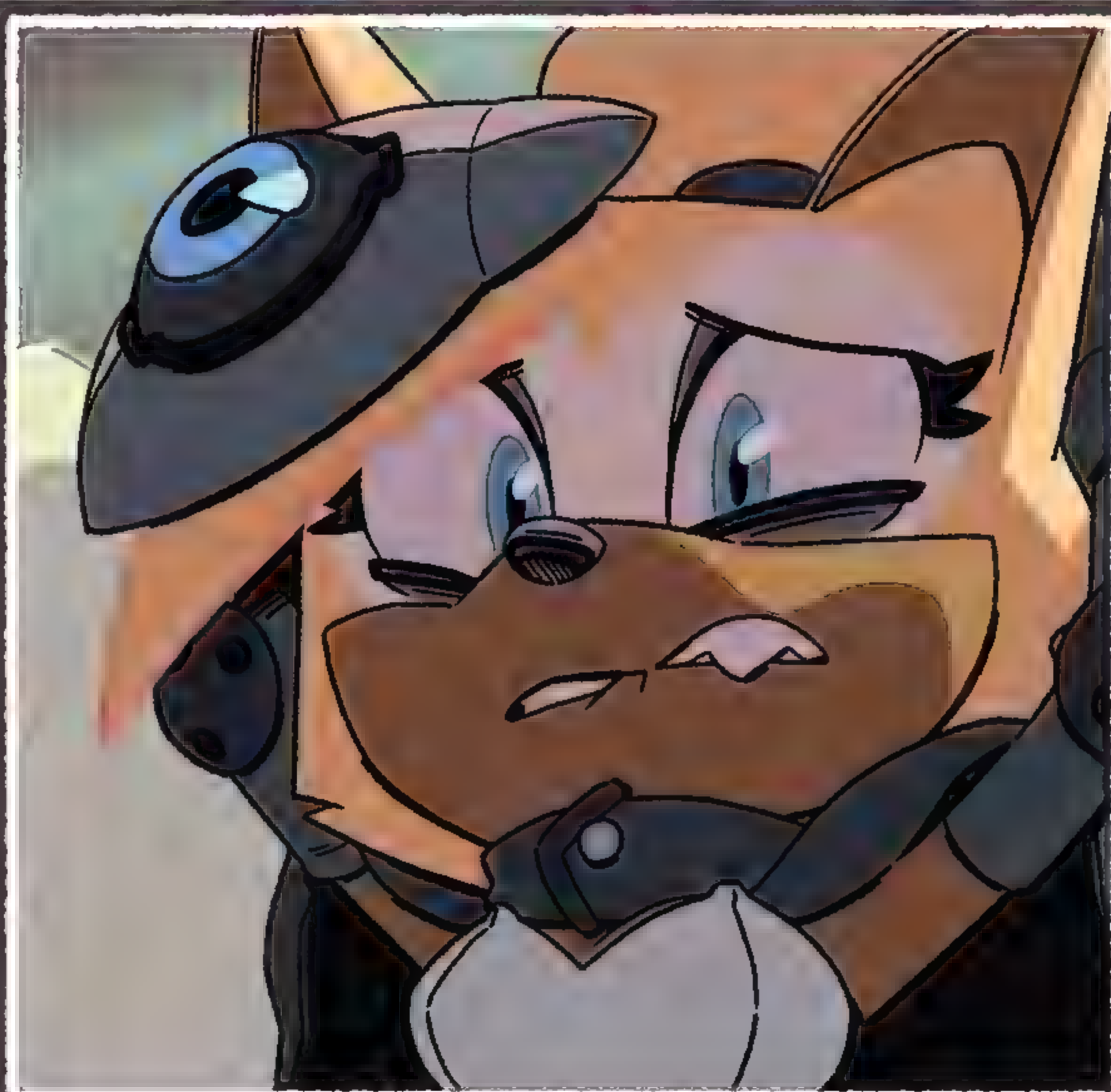
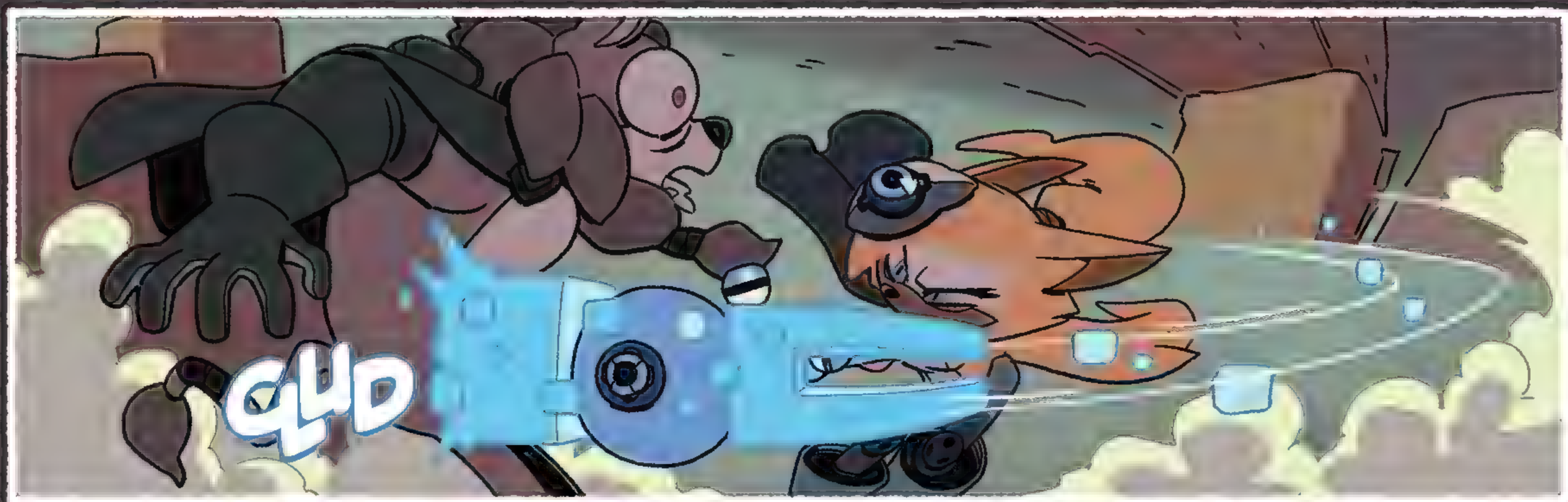
DON'T YOU DARE—!

WHY NOT? THEY WERE MY FRIENDS JUST AS MUCH AS YOURS. AND YOU FAILED TO PROTECT THEM.

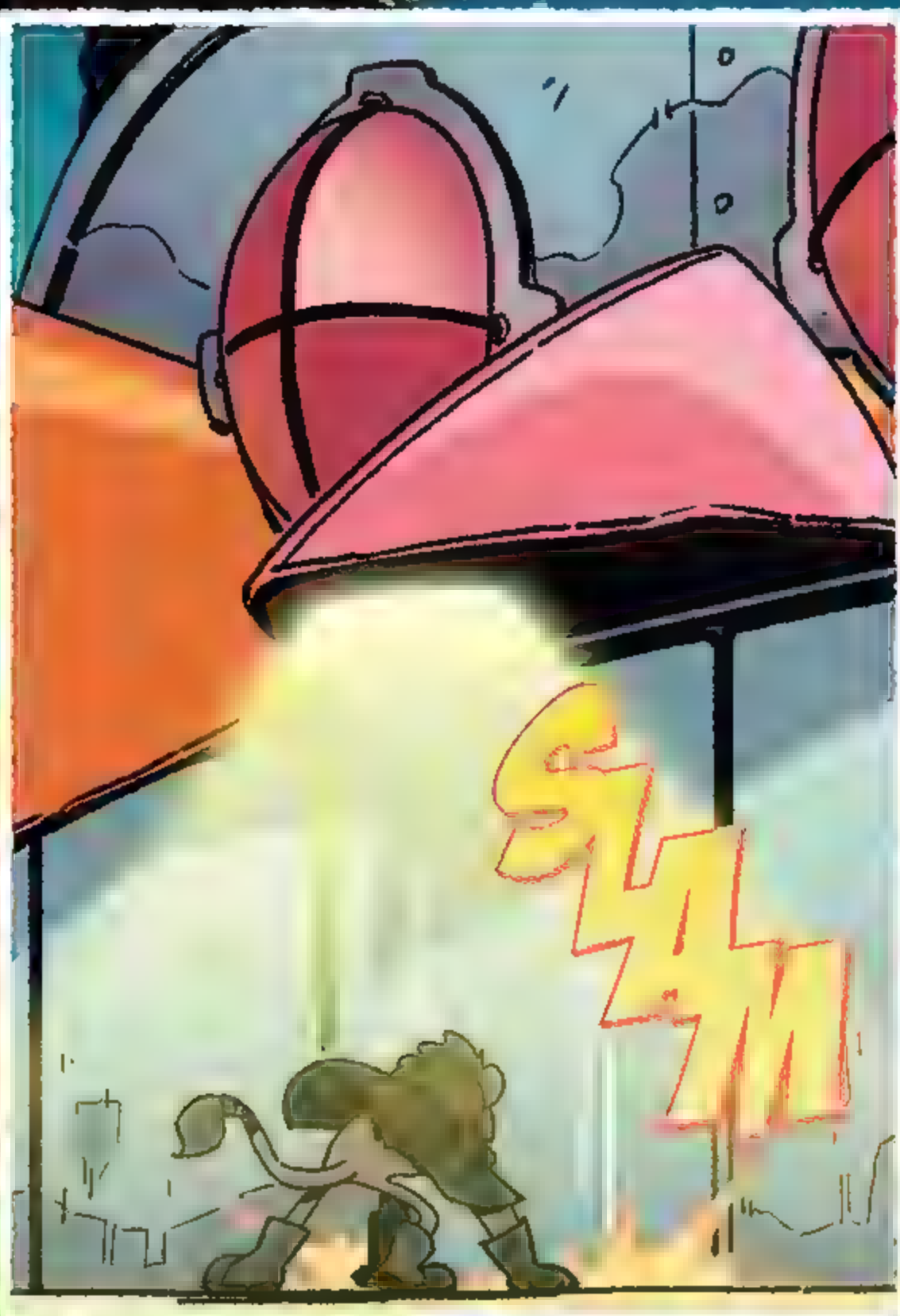
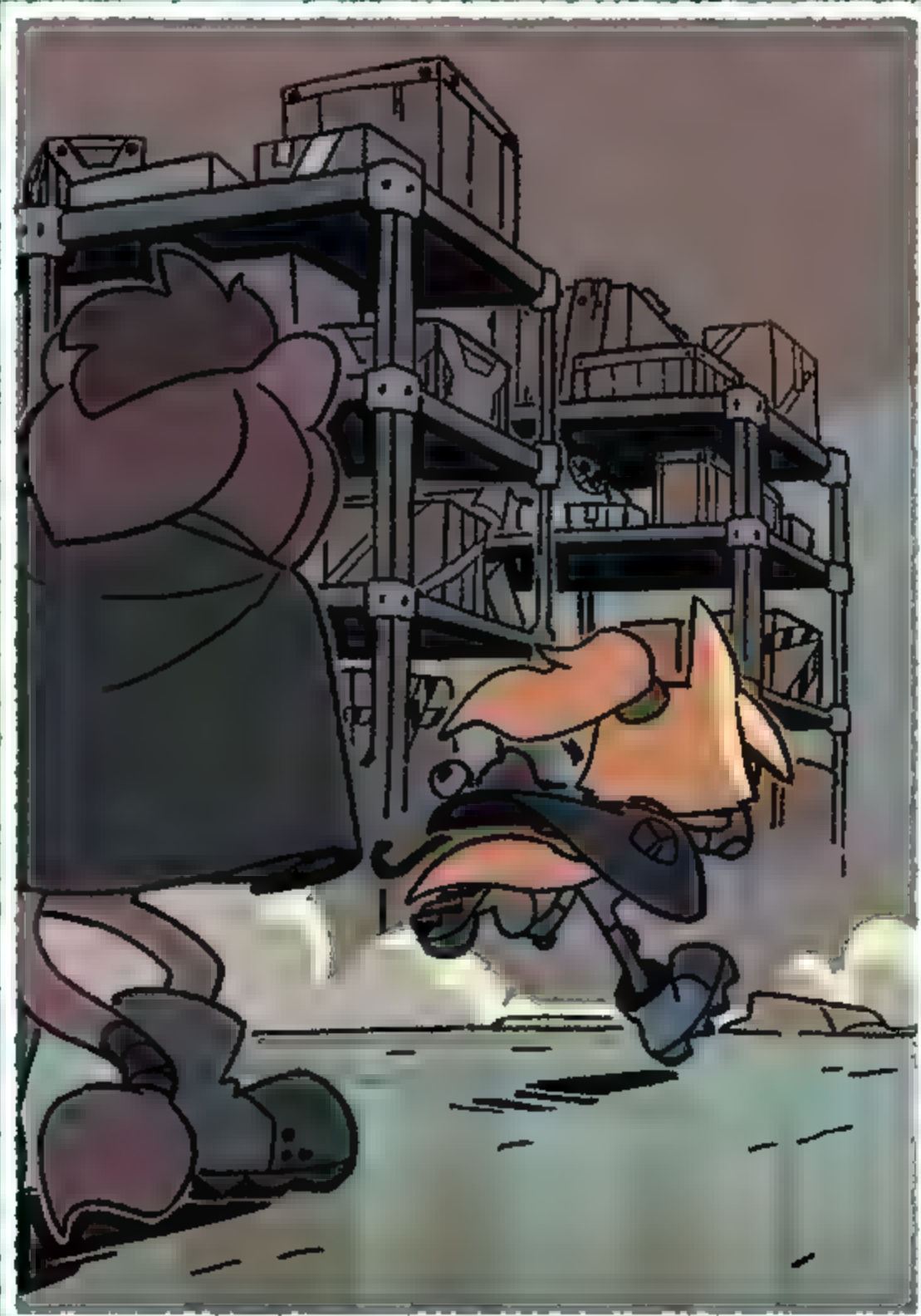
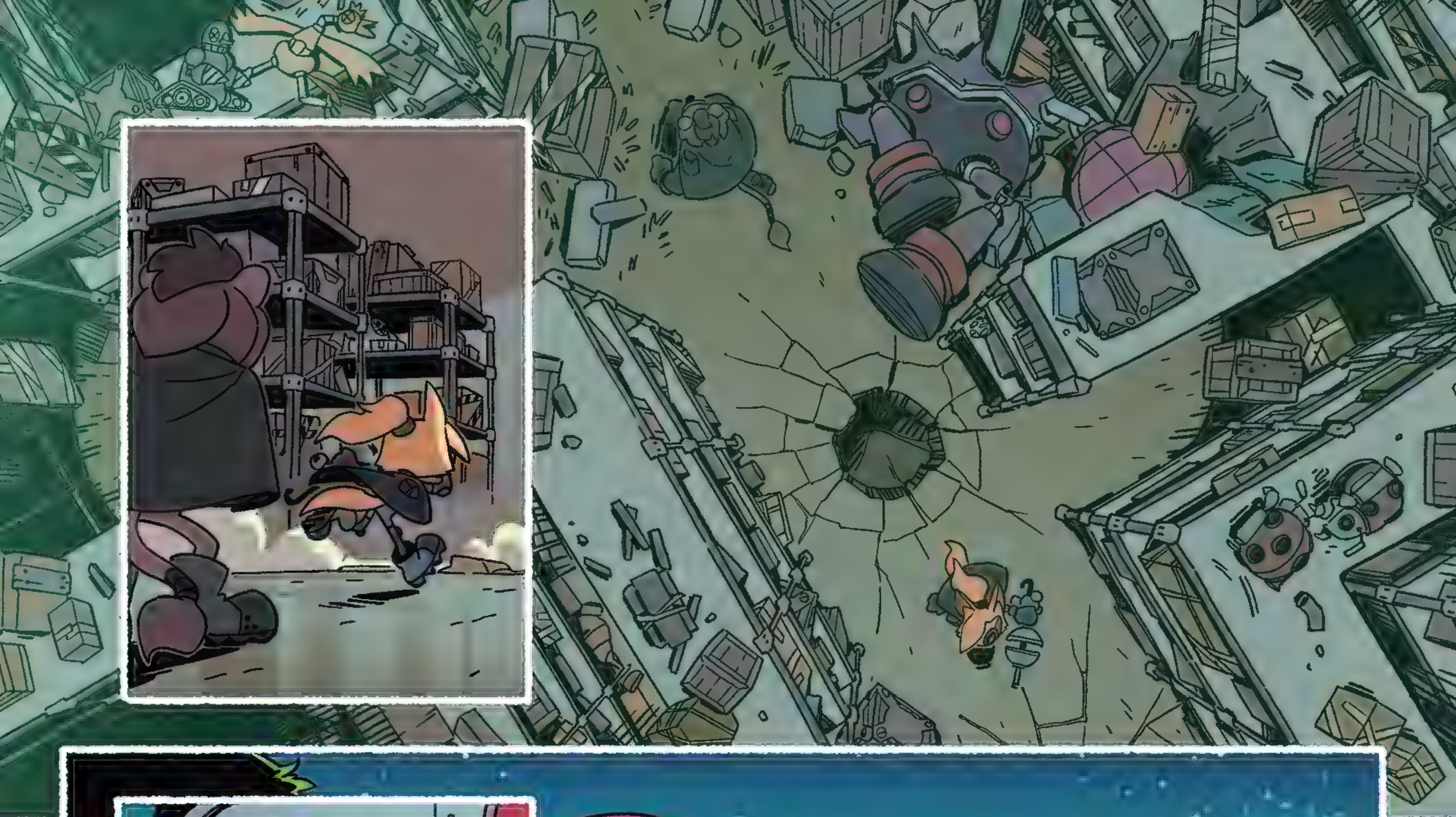
YOU HAD ONE JOB—LOOK AFTER US!

BUT WHERE WERE YOU IN THE END? CERTAINLY NOT WITH US!





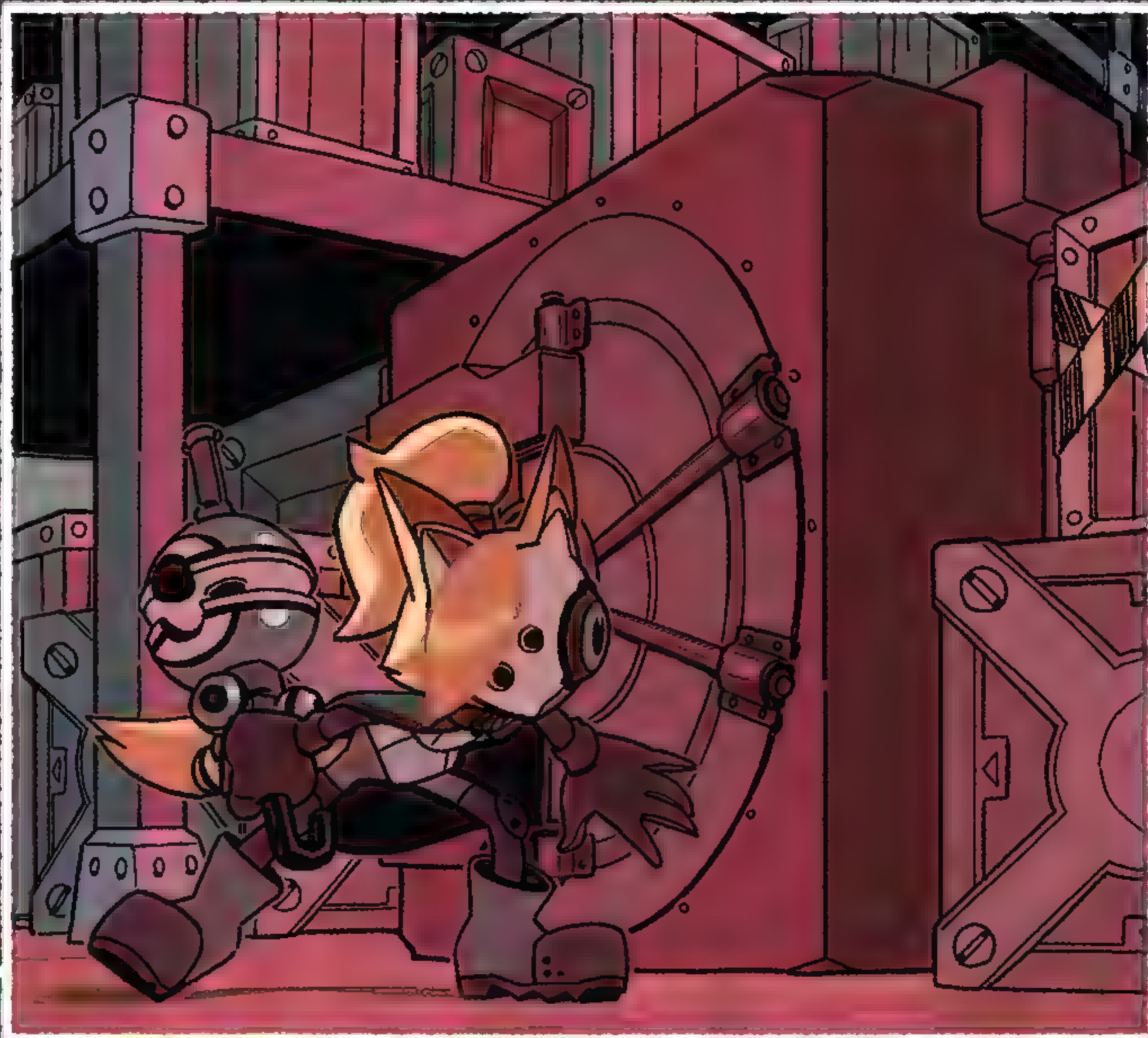




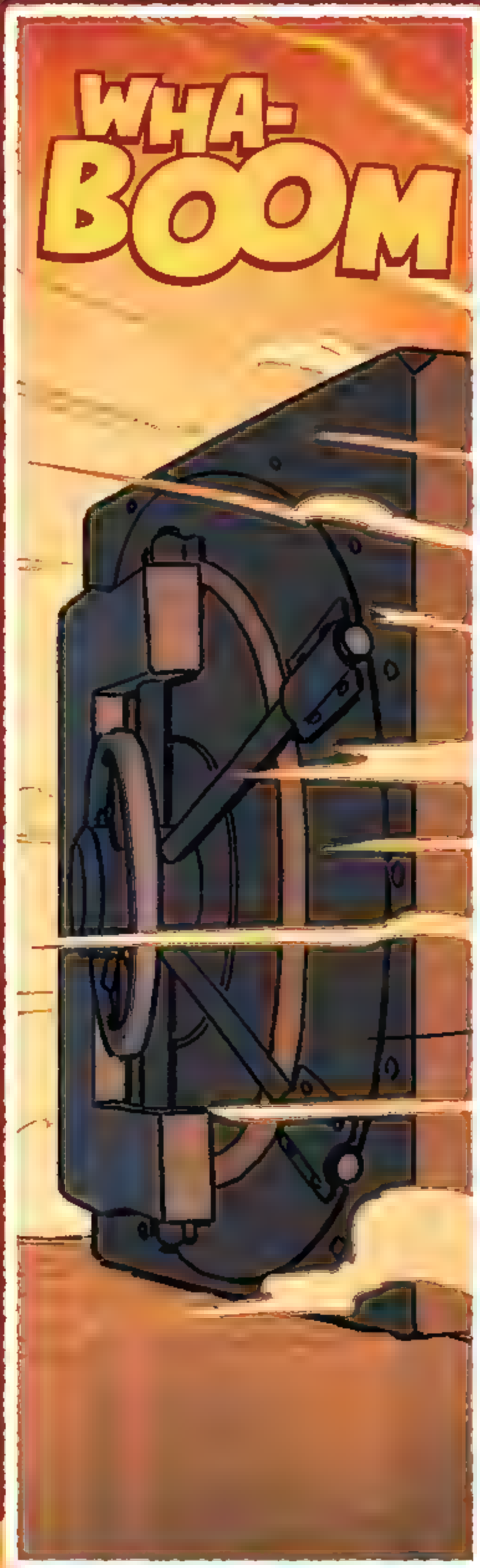
REST IN  
PEACE,  
WHISPER.

IT  
WAS FUN  
WHILE IT  
LASTED.

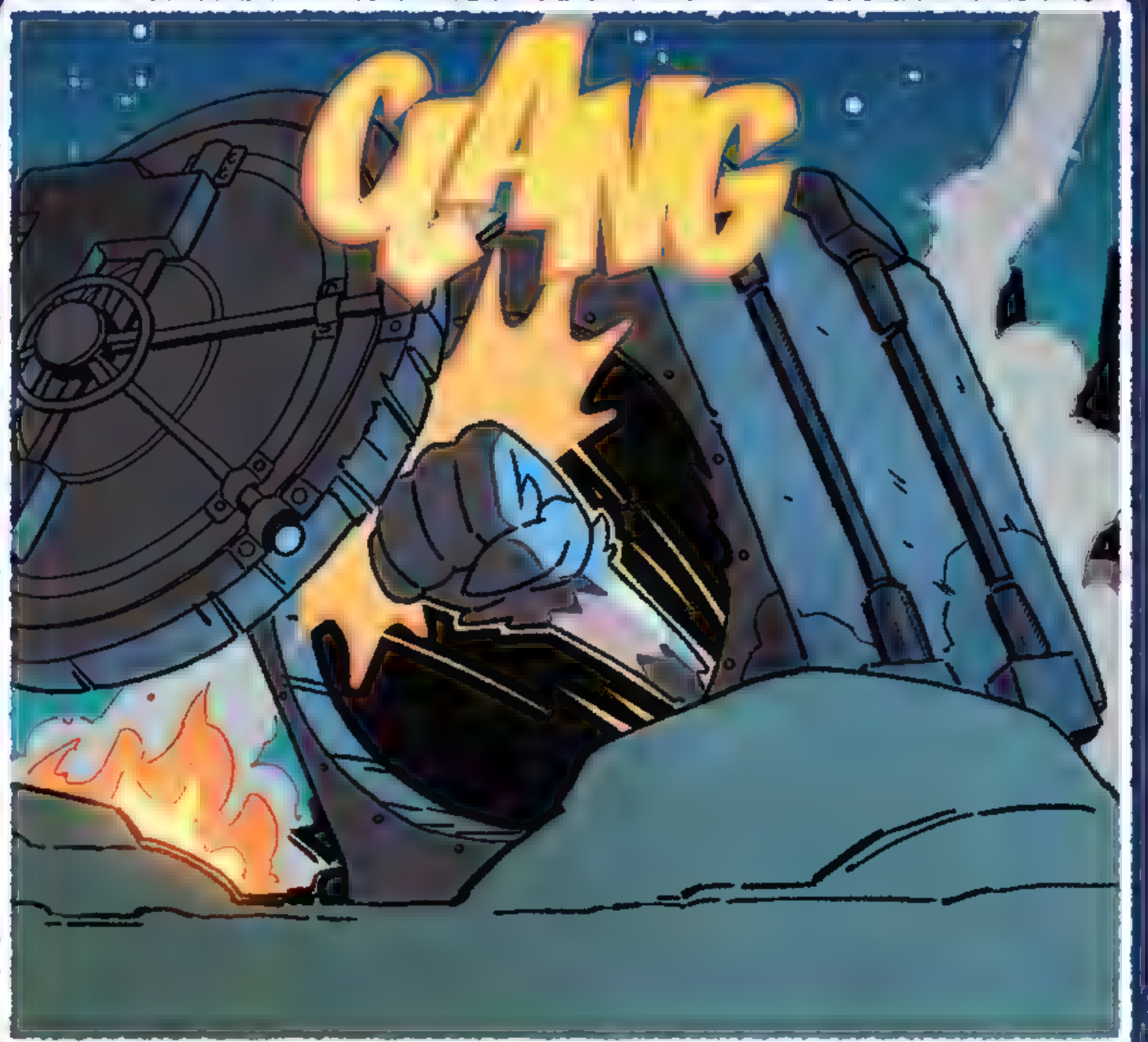
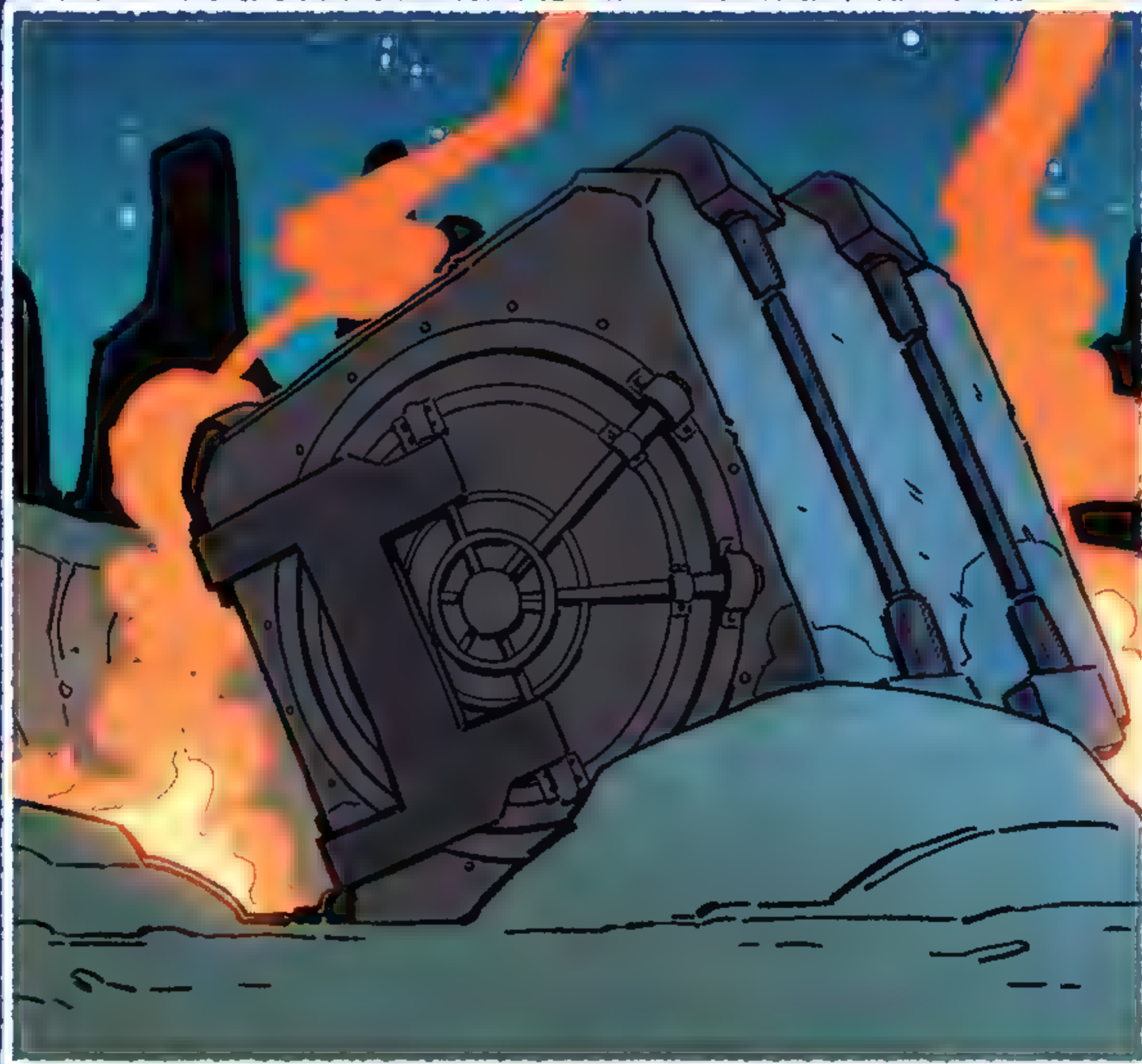
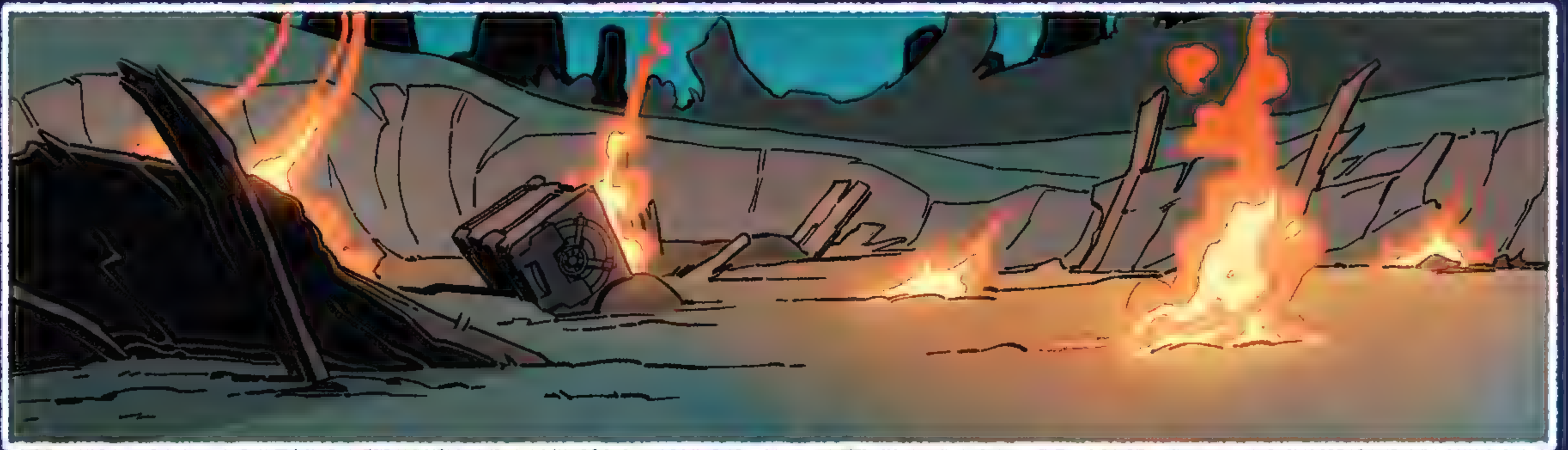




















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OKAY.  
YOU'VE GOT  
A HURT, AND  
IT RUNS  
DEEP.

I'M  
THINKING  
YOU'RE LONG  
OVERDUE FOR  
TALKING  
ABOUT IT.



SO LET  
IT OUT. I'LL  
SHUT UP. I'LL  
LISTEN.



...OKAY.  
I'LL TELL YOU  
EVERYTHING.

NEXT TIME:  
**WHISPER'S  
SECRETS  
REVEALED!**



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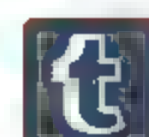
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HERE WE  
ARE—TEAM  
SONIC—ON  
PLANET WISP.

DRIVING CARS FAST  
ENOUGH TO ENTERTAIN  
EVEN SONIC, ON CRAZY  
TRACKS STOCKED WITH  
WISP POWER-UPS.

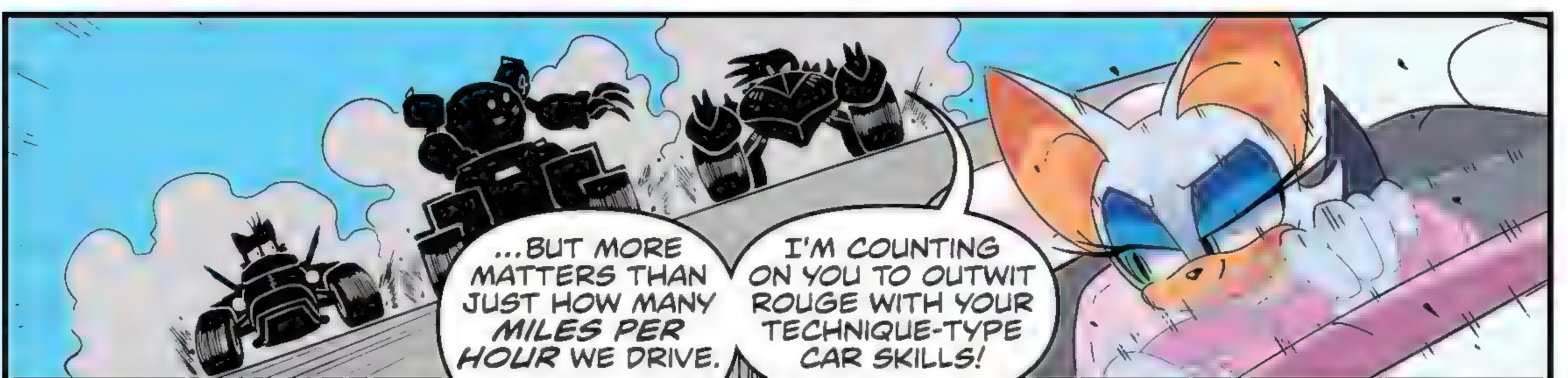
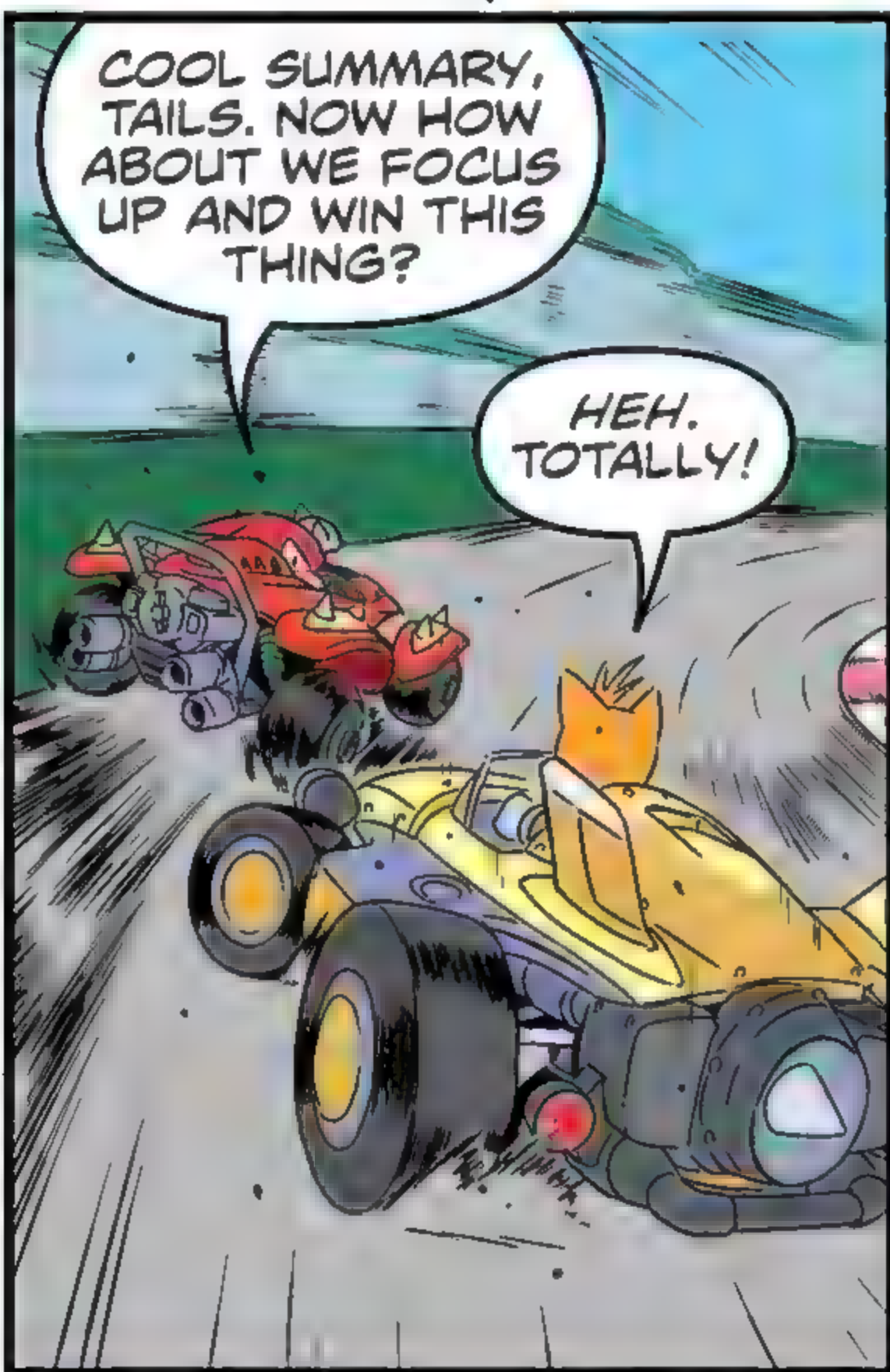
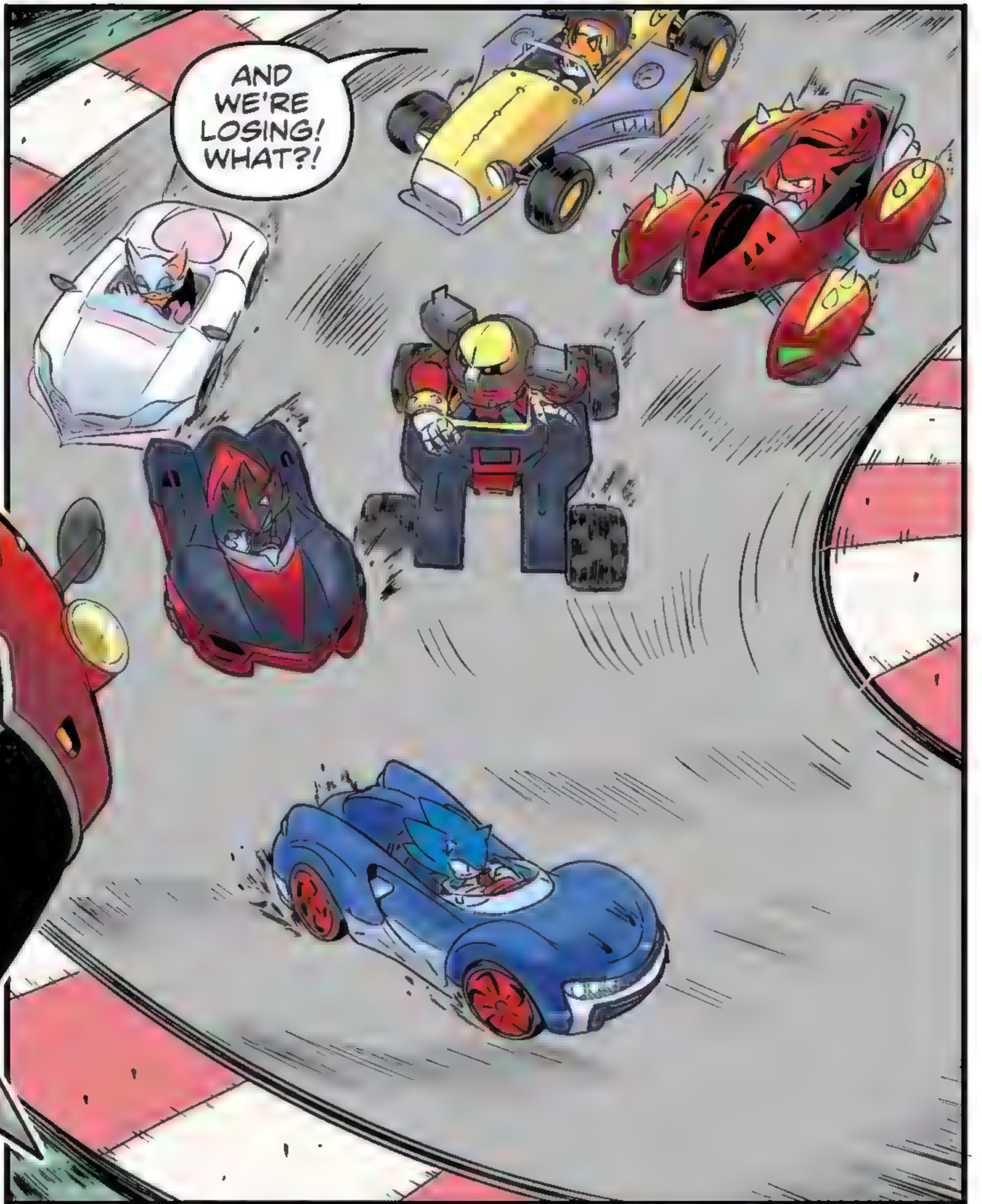


ALL FOR AN ECCENTRIC  
MYSTERY MAN, DODON PA.  
NO ONE KNOWS WHERE HE  
COMES FROM OR WHY HE  
HOSTS RACES.

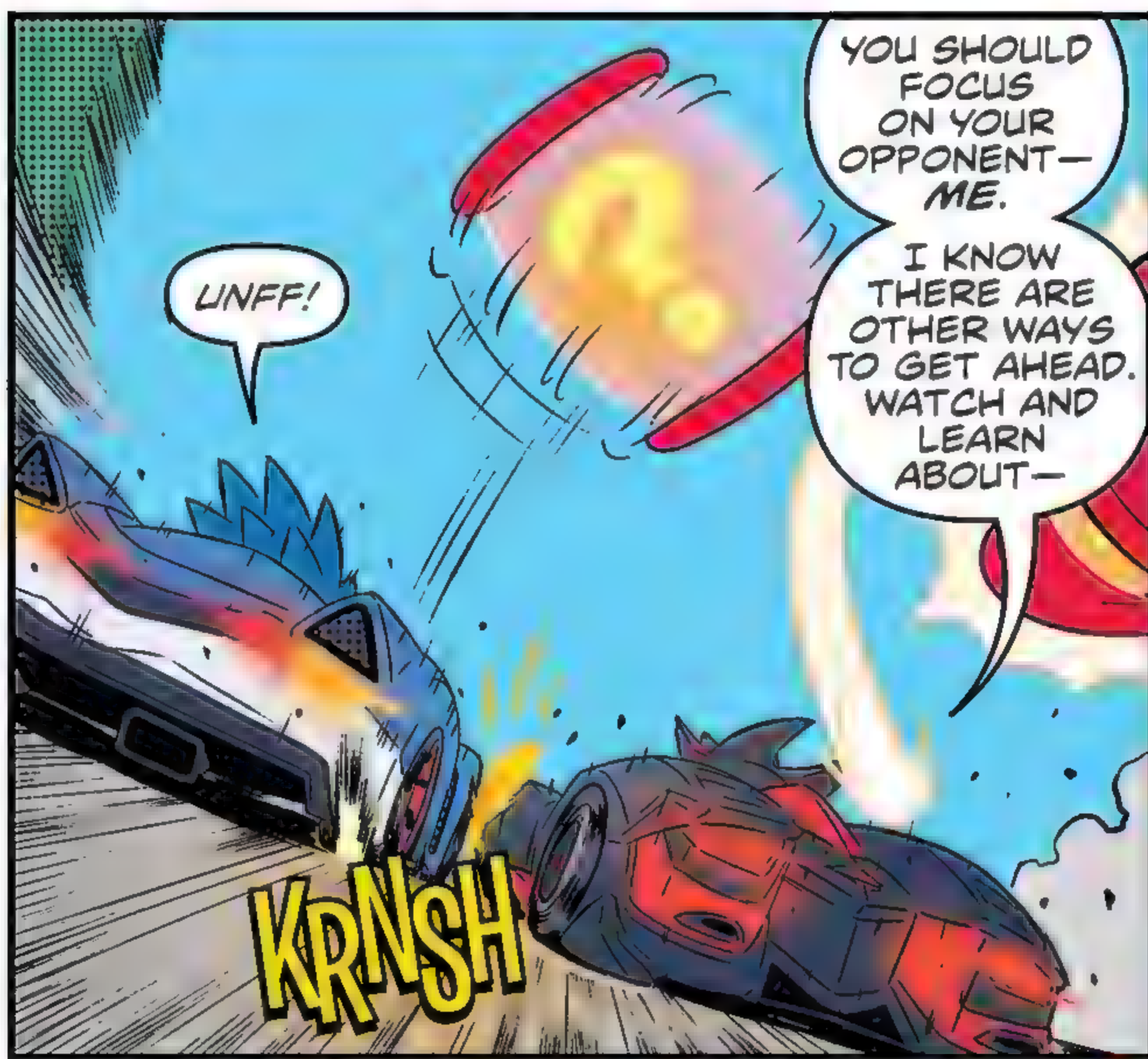
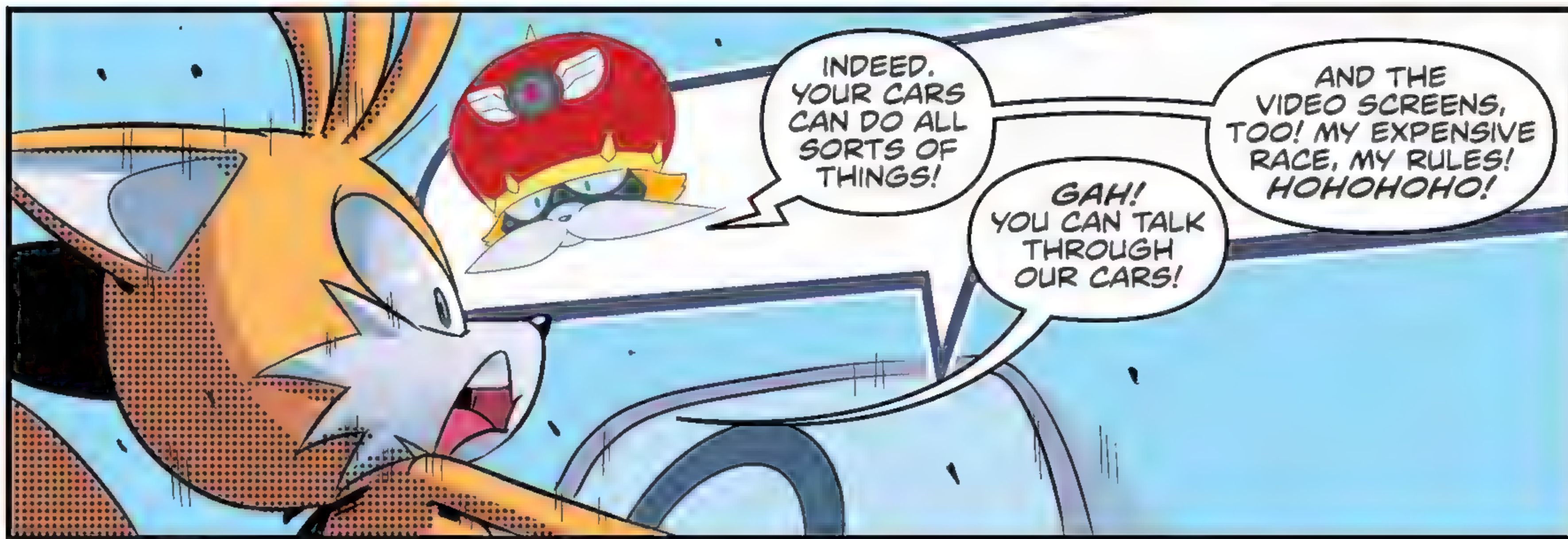


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HEDGEHOG OR  
BLACK HEDGEHOG?  
WHO WILL SURVIVE?  
HOHOHO.

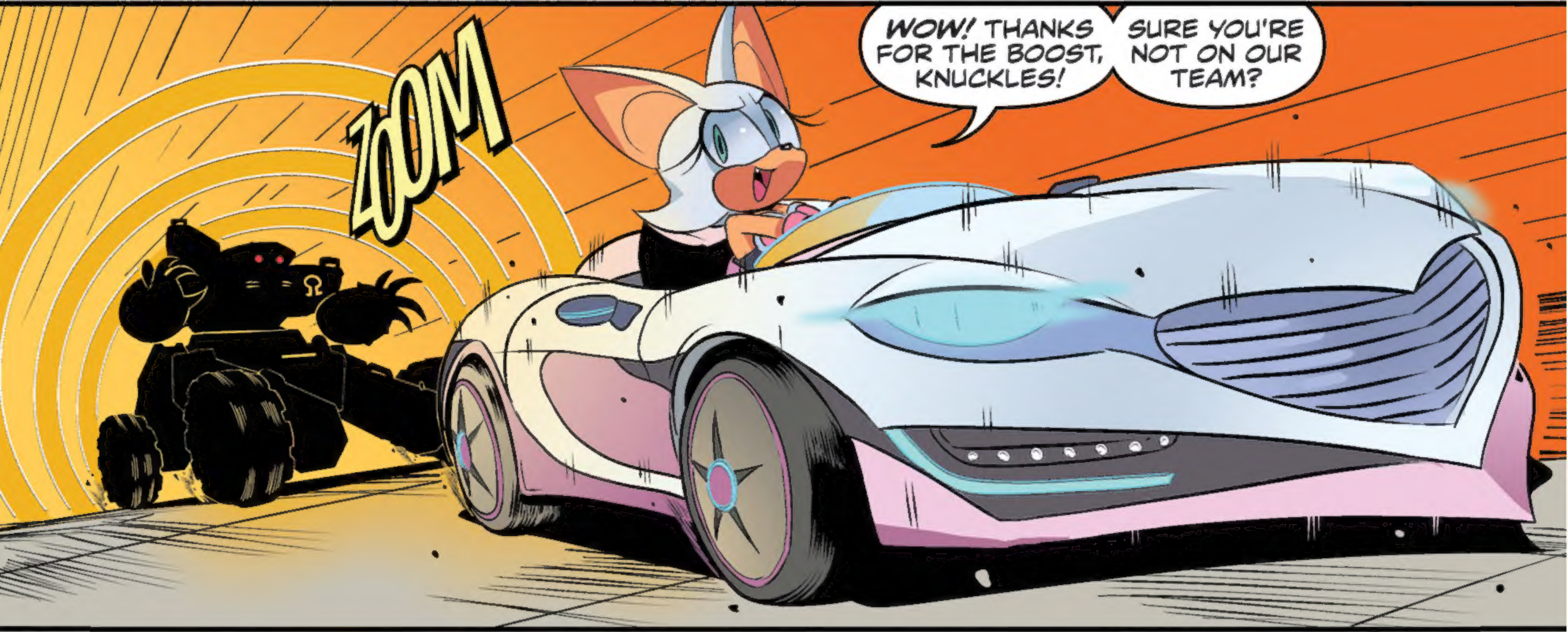
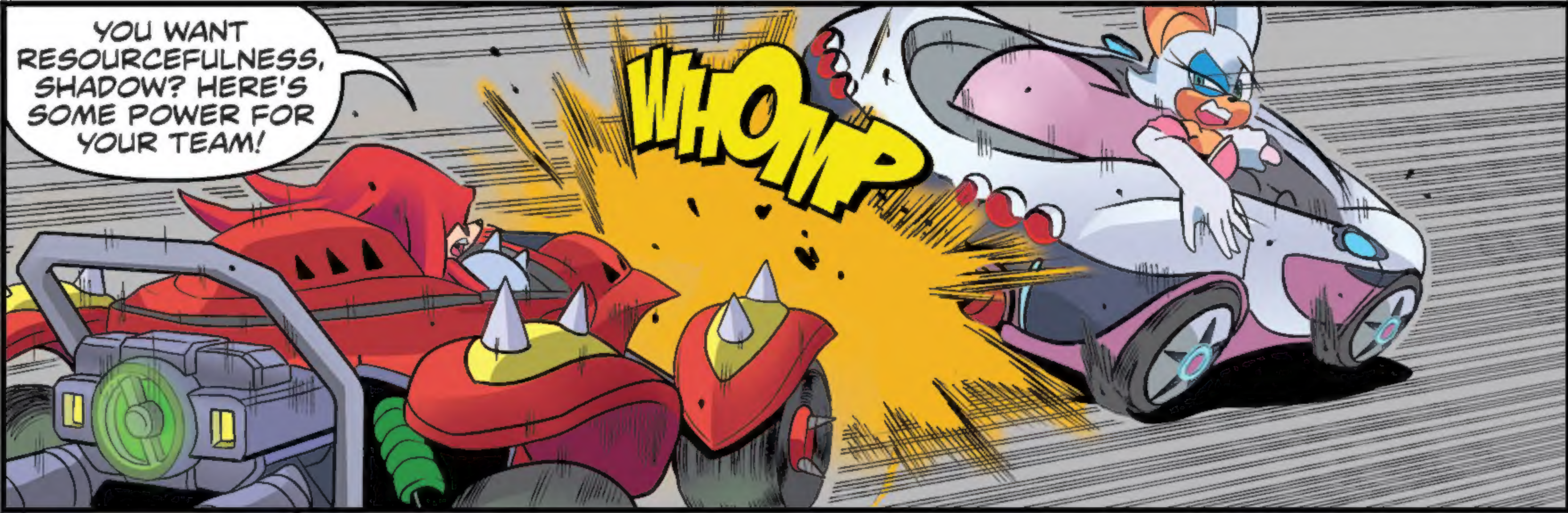




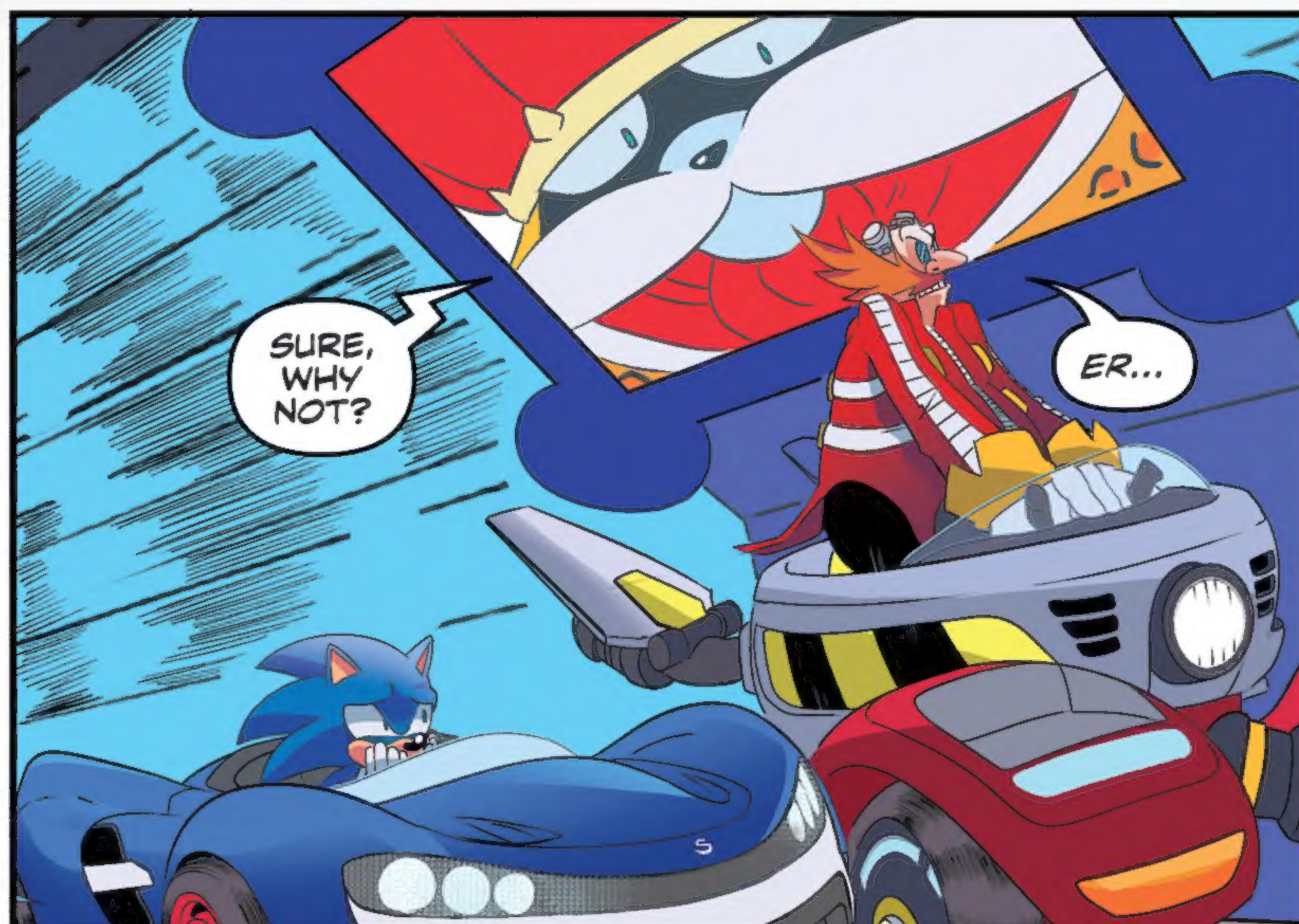
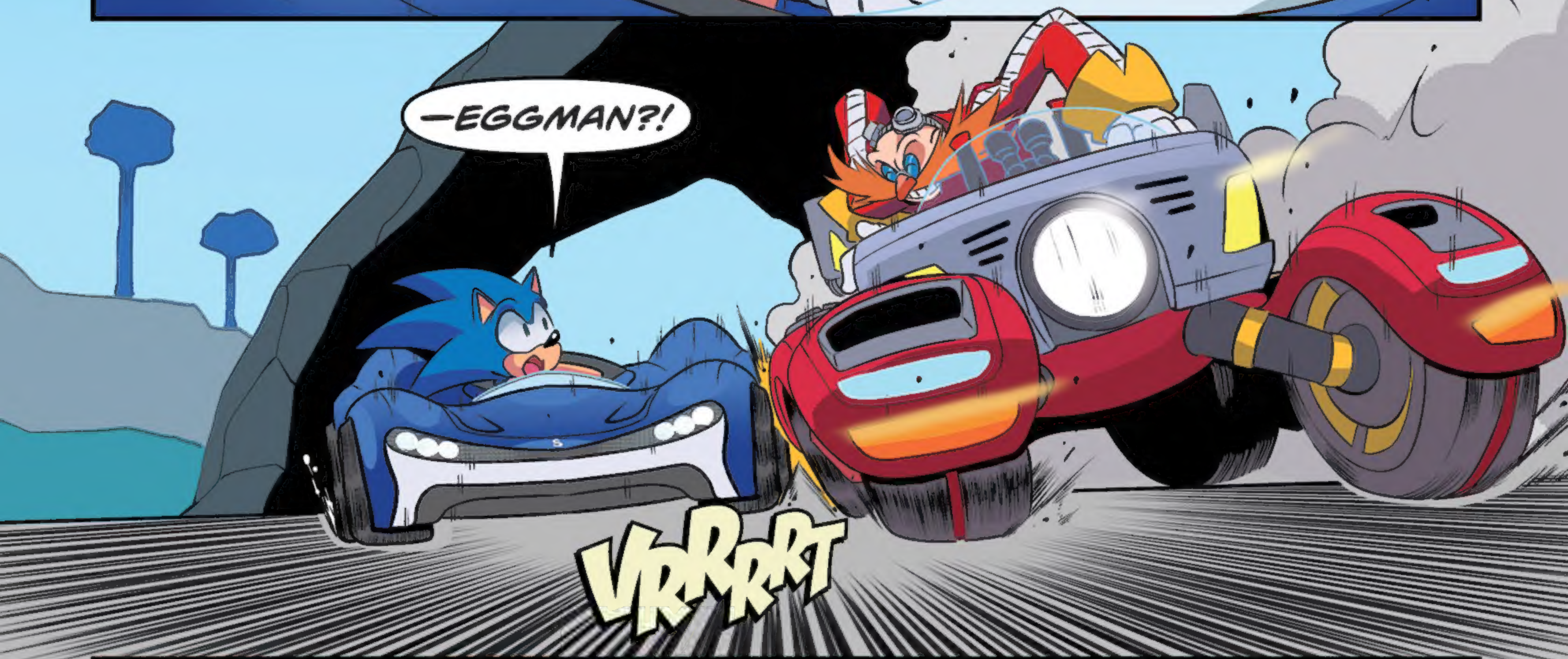














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